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JUDGE EWING WILL HEAD STATE'S NEW UTILITIES BOARD

Fayette County Jurist Named Chairman of Commission by Tener.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS STAY

Former Governor Pennypacker and Milton J. Brecht are Reappointed; Experts are Given Position on Well-Balanced Body Chosen by Governor

Judge Nathaniel Ewing of Fayette county, chairman of the defunct State Railroad Commission, has been named by Governor Tener as the chairman of the new Public Service Commission. All of the railroad commissioners have been given places on the new board, the others being former Governor Samuel W. Pennypacker and Milton J. Brecht. The personnel of the Public Service Commission is as follows:

NATHANIEL EWING, Chairman, Fayette county, chairman State Railroad Commission from its organization in 1909, and former United States Court Judge. 10-year term.
S. LARUE TONE, Allegheny county, general manager and chief engineer Pittsburg Railways, nine-year term.
SAMUEL W. PENNYPACKER, former Governor and former Judge, member State Railroad Commission, eight-year term.
EMORY R. JOHNSON, Philadelphia, professor of transportation and commerce expert, University of Pennsylvania, seven-year term.
MILTON J. BRECHT, Lancaster, member State Railroad Commission, six-year term.
CHARLES FREDERICK WRIGHT, Susquehanna, banker and former State Treasurer, five-year term.
FRANK M. WALLACE, Erie, banker, four-year term.

The new commissioners will receive salaries of $10,000 per year, and will hold regular meetings twice a month, and conduct investigations and handle complaints under the manifold provisions of the act. The Attorney General will be the general counsel for the commission, and will designate its attorney, probably naming William N. Trinkle, Philadelphia, now a Deputy Attorney General. The commission will select a secretary, marshal, investigator and other officers.

Governor Tener has requested the commissioners to meet with him at the Capitol on Monday afternoon, it being the plan to have the commission organize soon after.

Professor Johnson is an expert on transportation, especially on carrying charges, and author of a number of books. He was employed by the Government to work out problems attending the establishment of tolls on the Panama Canal and engaged in investigation of the Nicaraguan Canal project, inland waterways, and railroads.

The expert in practical operation is Mr. Tone, who is a graduate of Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, at Troy, N. Y., and in charge of engineering, operation and power departments of the Pittsburg railways for 20 years.

Mr. Wright, prior to his appointment as state treasurer by Governor Stuart, in 1910, served three terms in Congress and is widely interested in banking, manufacturing, water and other organizations and familiar with utilities from the business side.

Mr. Wallace is president of the Second National Bank of Erie, in charge of large estates in that county, treasurer of the Pittsburg Coal Company, and identified with numerous business interests.

The Governor had offered a commissionership to Secretary of the Commonwealth Robert McAfee, Allegheny, but he declined it.

Judge Nathaniel Ewing was born in Uniontown, June 17, 1848, being the son of Judge John Kennedy Ewing. He graduated with honor from Princeton College in 1869, and later was married to Miss Sallie E. Mitchell of Winona, Minn. He was admitted to the bar in 1871 and was appointed Judge of the Fourteenth Judicial District of Pennsylvania, August, 1877, elected November, 1877, for 10 years. He was counsel for W. J. Rainey and the H. C. Frick Coke Company and other corporations; was counsel for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company until elevated to the bench.

Judge Ewing was president of the National Bank of Fayette County; director of the Finance Company of Pennsylvania and the Pittsburg Life & Trust Company. He was United States District Judge, Western Pennsylvania from 1906 until 1908, when he resigned to become chairman of the State Railroad Commission. He was a trustee of Princeton College from 1901 to 1907. Judge Ewing was also president of the Pennsylvania Bar Association of Pennsylvania.

POSTOFFICE REPORT.

July Business Shows a Gain Over Same Month a Year Ago.

The business done by the Connellsville postoffice during the month of July was $44 greater than that of the corresponding month of 1912.

The sale of stamps and stamped paper amounted to $3,036.96. Receipts from newspaper postage totaled $54.37, and from box rentals, $293.27. Total receipts were $3,384.60.

Will Sell Church Today.

The St. Emery de Magyar Roman Catholic on Arch street will be sold at constable's sale this afternoon. Constable Joseph Crossland will cry the property at 2 o'clock.

JULY TORRID, BUT NOT SO WARM AS SAME MONTH IN '12

Average for the Two Months Compared Shows 1912 Holds the Record for Heat.

According to the temperature records of the West Penn, July last year was warmer than this, although the suffering last month was intense. Two bad hot waves struck this section in July which sent the mercury soaring high among the nineties. The highest mark reached this year was 95 on July 2, while the mercury reached 102 as the high mark of July, 1912, on the eighth of the month.

The highest mark reached during the last hot wave was 94, not quite so high as that reached in the first part of the month, it touching 95 then. The records show that the average temperature of July this year was not so warm as that of last and the highest July mark was reached last year.

During the middle of July it became cooler and the minimum was 55 on the seventh and eighth. Last year's lowest was 59 on the tenth and twenty-seventh. The average temperature for the month of July this year and last is as follows:

	1913	1912
Maximum	85.8	86.7
Minimum	64.9	65.4
Mean	75.3	75.1

RUSHING WORK

Woolworth Forces Start Building Before Foundation is Complete.

In order to complete the work on schedule, F. W. Woolworth & Company's builders are beginning work on the super-structure proper before the foundations are finished. Workmen yesterday started laying the floor, placing the joists on the completed portion of the foundation and partition walls. It is expected that the remainder of the foundations will be completed by tonight.

Foreman C. D. Hildebrand, in charge of the work, said today that an effort will be made to keep the streets clear of building material so as not to block traffic. As soon as the floor is partially completed, lumber and brick will be unloaded on the floor instead of in the street.

New workmen will be taken on Monday. Six carpenters and the same number of bricklayers were engaged this week, and on Monday eight additional bricklayers and extra carpenters will be employed. If the company is able to hire a sufficient number of bricklayers, the work will be rushed to completion by the working of shifts day and night.

SWAINS AT WAR

Jealousy Said to Have Been Cause of Attack on Foreigner's Home.

Because he had taken the girl home that Mike Kirbo had wished to escort, John Kobsoulneck of Leisenring, had six young men arraigned before Squire P. M. Buttermore of the West Side last night on charges of assault and battery. The men had been to a dance and both Kirbo and Kobsoulneck wished to take the young woman home. She favored Kobsoulneck and Mike resented this. He gathered his friends about him and together they proceeded to the home of Kobsoulneck and laid siege. Stones were hurled through the windows, the door broken down and buckets and other missles thrown into the house. Then Kobsoulneck made information. The case was settled by the defendants paying the costs and settling with Kobsoulneck for the damage to his house.

The members of Mike's party were George Geltka, Mike Podrockey, John Klinick, Frank Soltis, George Zasnoski and of Leisenring.

THEATRICAL PLAYS

Nehf, on Visit, Tells of Good Engagements at the Colonial.

The Colonial Theatre will open on October 5 with the presentation of one of the best plays procurable. Manager M. W. Nehf, announced this morning that he can secure the No. 1 company showing "Excuse Me" for the opening night, but that he is making an effort to engage a company showing a later success.

Among the attractions that will appear at the Colonial this year are: "Excuse Me," "The Virginian," "Little Boy Blue," which was here last year; "Somewhere Else," the latest success of the Savage productions, and the "Spring Maid" company, which showed here twice last season.

Mr. Nehf returns tonight to Parkersburg, W. Va., where he is spending the summer as manager of an amusement park.

READY FOR BARGAIN DAY

Janitor McNamara Has Collection of Old Slates on Hand.

Janitor John McNamara can observe bargain day with the merchants on Tuesday and Wednesday, if he wishes. John has collected a fine assortment of second-hand slates, taken from the roof of the Fourth ward school building, and could be prepared to supply slates to all applying on August 5 and 6.

The slates, as they tumble from the roof, are playing havoc with John's lawn, and he isn't pleased over repairs now being made to the building.

Five Face Burgess.

Five Drunks were sentenced before Burgess Evans in police court this morning. Daniel Nolan was arrested for being drunk and disorderly and insulting women on the street. In default of $10 fine he was given five days.

Kick to Burgess.

Complaints have reached Burgess Evans that residents of Gibson avenue have been throwing rubbish in the street.

FEDERAL AGENTS FACE BLACKMAIL CHARGE; ARRESTED

Two Officials Held on Accusations of a Former Mexican Governor.

ALLEGED TO HAVE TAKEN $500

Matthews and His Assistant Said to Have Shown Emualel Brito Fake Telegram Purporting to Have Been Signed by McReynolds; Bills Marked

United Press Telegram.

NEW ORLEANS, August 1.— G. Raymond Matthews, special agent of the United States Department of Justice, his assistant, J. L. Mott, and Ernesto Artenga, representative of the Mexican constitutional junta, were arrested here today on charges of blackmail. The complaint was made by Emualel C. Brito, former governor of the Mexican province of Campeche.

Brito charges that one of the trio showed him a telegram purporting to come from the Department of Justice and signed "Melteynolds," ordering his arrest. In return for his freedom, the blackmailer secured $500 from Brito.

After he had been shown the telegram, Brito employed private detectives, who marked $500 in bills and arranged for a meeting with the blackmailers last night. Assistant Chief of Detectives Daniel Moni led the squad of officers who made the arrests.

Brito came here a few days ago, representing Governor Lorenzo. He expects to remain in the city for some time.

In discussing the case today, United States Attorney Walter Colon said that he had received a telegram from the Department of Justice, ordering the arrest of "a certain person," Matthews, he declared, saw the telegram.

The arrested special agent contends that he is innocent, saying he will be able to prove it.

TRY TO ENTER HOME

Youth, With Revolver, Frightens Burglars at Hazlett Residence.

An attempt to rob the home of W. A. Hazlett on Sycamore street, was made last night. Two men, one who watched and the other one tried to raise a window, were discovered in time to be prevented from getting anything by Charles Hazlett, who was reading in his room. Hearing a noise in the rear of the house he raised the window and saw the men at work.

Getting a revolver, Hazlett fired a shot at the man under the window, who ran. A patrolman heard the shot and came to the house. He and Hazlett hunted for the men but failed to find any traces of them. This is the second time in a week that an attempt has been made to rob the Hazlett home.

CHARGES ARE ARE FILED

Fight Against Lewellyn is Opened in Washington.

Congressman A. Mitchell Palmer, official dispenser of Pennsylvania patronage at Washington will investigate charges that have been filed against C. G. Lewellyn of Fayette county, agreed upon by the state leaders for the position of collector of internal revenue at Pittsburg.

It is said that several Democrats in this county have signified their intention of going to Washington to push the charges, which are now in the hands of Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo.

Congressman W. N. Carr, who supports Lewellyn, declares that the charges are baseless and made by men who for years have been opposed politically to Lewellyn and his friends.

NO LEAGUE MEETING.

Uplifters Fail to Obtain Quorum for the Session.

There was no meeting of the Municipal League last evening and probably will be none until the first of September. A few enthusiasts gathered in the Chamber of Commerce rooms and discussed various topics informally. It was decided to hold no more meetings until the school survey committee gets into action and the Clark city bill decision is handed down.

President Rehanna will attend the School Board meeting Monday night to seek the use of a school room for future meetings.

Contract Held Over.

On account of the large amount of business on the calendar for consideration at last night's meeting, the Dunbar township road supervisors last night did not award the contract for the paving of the road from Logan's crossing to the Greek Church. A special meeting will be held Tuesday night for this purpose.

Will Extend Branch.

The contract has been awarded for a ten-mile extension of the Pennsylvania railroad's Shady Creek branch, near Windber. It is understood that important developments will soon be put under way in the field to be traversed.

Death Toll Now Nine.

CINCINNATI, Aug. 2.—The death list as a result of the accident in the Lagoon motordome reached nine today, when Michael Carney of Lima, O., died in a hospital at Covington, Ky.

JOHN R. BYRNE NO ORANGEMAN, BUT HIS SHAMROCK IS.

John R. Byrne of Everson is filled with gloom. A loyal son of Erin, he imported some shamrock from the Old Sod, in order that it might flourish about his native heath in this country.

The shamrock flourished. There is no question about that. But there is woe at the house of Byrne because the blossoms, instead of assuming their natural hue, have turned a brilliant, glaring yellow. And any man who accused Byrne of being an Orangeman would be carried out on a stretcher!

READY TO REGISTER

Commissioners are Sending Primary Blanks to the Assessors

The county commissioners today began sending out the registration blanks to assessors all over the county for the purpose of enrolling the party preference of all voters, under the Flynn act. There are 40,000 blanks on hand, although it is not expected this number will be needed.

Every voter is required to register his party preference in order to participate in any primay, with the exception of a non-partisan contest. Assessors are required to enter the party preference of each voter in the registry book and supply election boards with the original certificates. After the primary these certificates are sent to the county commissioners.

It will keep the assessors working diligently to get all voters enrolled and the records completed in time for the primary.

BRING ON AN ICE FAMINE!

Addition to Yough Plant is Now Ready for Operation.

The Yough Crystal Ice & Storage Company is now prepared to meet any demand that may be made for ice. The addition to the plant which triples its capacity has been completed.

Work on the new addition has been in progress during the greater part of the summer. The tanks and machinery were supplied by a Waynesburg firm, while the Connellsville Construction Company had the contract for the brick work. The new apparatus cost $25,000.

Last night the covers were placed on the tanks, one of the new engines was tested and everything was found to be in readiness to start the new machinery. The completion of the new addition gives the plant a capacity of 75 tons a day.

AFTER 27 YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Donnelly, Former Residents, Here on Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Donnelly of Charlotte, N. C., are guests of Captain and Mrs. Edmund Dunn of South Prospect street. Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly are former residents of Connellsville and are well known among the older residents of town.

It is their first visit to their former home in 27 years, and in that time so many improvements have taken place that Mr. Donnelly stated he could scarcely recognize the town as the one he left 27 years ago.

Fifty Take Examinations.

A class of 58 took the examinations for teachers permanent certificates given yesterday in Greensburg. There were 12 from Fayote, 21 from Westmoreland, and 25 from Indiana counties. Miss Flossie Summerville and Miss Anna Laffoy from Connellsville were in the class.

Still Have Clubs.

An attack of appendicitis threatens to take Sidney Nicholson out of athletics at Uniontown High School. He is a star football player. One solace at the county seat is that the dumbells and Indian clubs are still convenient for use on visiting teams after the game.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight; slightly cooler in the northern portion; Sunday fair is the soon weather forecast.

Temperature Record.

	1913	1912
Maximum	92	74
Minimum	60	55
Mean	76	64

The Yough river fell during the night from 1.50 to 1.45.

FIREMEN PLAN BIG CAMPAIGN TO LAND CONVENTION HERE

Will Take a Special Train to Punxsutawney on August 11.

WANT 100 BOOSTERS TO GO

Big Delegation is Assured for the Trip; Band Will be Big Feature of Convention Week; Firemen Intend to Put Town Prominently on Map.

Determined to land the 1914 convention of the Western Pennsylvania Volunteer Firemen's Association for Connellsville, the West Side Fire Department has contracted with the Baltimore & Ohio for a special train to Punxsutawney. At a special meeting of the company last night arrangements were made for the trip. In addition to the members of the fire department and the delegates from Vanderbilt Baltimore & Ohio shops, West Newton and Mount Pleasant and the Connellsville Military Band, accommodations for 100 boosters has been provided for on the special train. The regular railroad fare is nearly seven dollars but having chartered a train, the fare will be $4.90 for the round trip, this to include lunch going and returning.

While the time of departure has not yet been definitely settled, it is expected to leave Connellsville between 7 and 8 o'clock on Monday evening, August 11, and returning, leave Punxsutawney about midnight on the following Thursday. The train will be decorated and every comfort provided for those who go. A short stop will be made at Pittsburg where a concert will be given by the band.

Any person who desires to accompany the firemen, and it is hoped that at least 100 will secure tickets from members of the fire department. The boys want a live crowd of boosters who will be on the job and help bring the next convention to Connellsville.

TWO DEATHS IN WEEK

Mrs. Margaret Stillwagon Follows Mother-in-Law to Grave.

The death of Mrs. Margaret Stillwagon, 54 years old, yesterday afternoon at her home on Wood street, Greenwood, marked the second death in the Stillwagon family in this week. Mrs. Stillwagon was the wife of Barton Stillwagon, whose mother, Mrs. Jane French Stillwagon, died on Monday. Funeral Monday morning at 8.30 o'clock from the family residence. Requiem high mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock at the Immaculate Conception Church at 9 o'clock. Interment in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Deceased had been in poor health for some time and was in the Mercy Hospital, Pittsburg for several weeks for treatment. A daughter, Rosalie, was brought home Sunday from the Mount Pleasant Hospital, where she was ill of typhoid fever for several weeks. Mrs. Stillwagon was born in Scotland and was a daughter of Frank and Rose McCormick Hanlon. In addition to her husband she is survived by the following children: Mrs. C. W. Brooks of the West Side Victor, Rosalie and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Clair Stillwagon, Mrs. George Burns, Mrs. M. J. Henlo, John and Patrick Hanlon, all of Connellsville.

MOOSE COMING BACK

Two Connellsville Delegates Saw the Motordome Tragedy.

The Moose herd is beginning to wander back to their old stamping grounds, after grazing in the strange pastures of Cincinnati, where the national convention was held this week. A party of 20 returned to Connellsville last night and the others will return tonight or Sunday.

The fatal accident at the Lagoon motordome Wednesday night, when eight persons lost their lives, was witnessed by two members of the Connellsville delegation. Anton De Ferro and Joseph Bobko were seated a short distance from the point where Odin Johnson, the Salt Lake City rider, lost control of his machine and crashed over the saucer-shaped brink into the crowd.

Secretary O. P. Burns will probably return tonight, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rice expect to come back tomorrow. About a dozen others will either return tomorrow or Monday.

Rev. Wolf on Circuit Ride.

Rev. R. C. Wolf, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church will preach and conduct communion services tomorrow morning in the Wesley Chapel, near Scullton, and tomorrow evening will conduct similar services in the Normalville Methodist Episcopal Church. Rev. Ringer will preach tomorrow morning and evening in the church here.

Held for Board Bill.

Charles Moore was committed to jail in Uniontown yesterday by Squire P. M. Buttermore for non-payment of a board bill. The prosecutrix, Mrs. Joseph Robbins, charged that Moore owed her $13.

Winter Meeting in Pittsburg.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Coal Mining Institute of America, it was decided to hold the winter session on December 4 and 5 in Pittsburg.

MRS. BROWN, WIFE OF B. & O. VETERAN, DIES AT CONFLUENCE

One of the Best Known Women of the Upper Yough Region Had Been Ill for Months.

Mrs Maude E. Brown, wife of Engineer B. F. Brown of the Confluence & Oakland branch of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, died last night at Confluence following an illness since last September. Mrs. Brown was widely known; an expert sportswoman, she was a constant companion of her husband on hunting and fishing trips, and none of the campers who visit the upper Yough region every year was a better hand with the rod and gun.

A few days ago an infant boy was born, one of the contributing causes of death. Tubercular meningitis was declared to have been the specific malady. Mrs. Brown underwent an operation here, returning to her home in Confluence five weeks ago.

She was born near Connellsville 35 years ago and lived in this vicinity until she and her husband moved to Confluence in 1902. Mr. Brown is one of the best known men in the Baltimore & Ohio service, having been employed with the road for 21 years.

In addition to her husband and four children, Harry, 16, Glenn, 14, Lucy, 10, and an infant boy, Mrs. Brown is survived by her mother, Mrs. Nancy Blosser, a sister, Nellie, and three brothers, Lee, Harry and Ewing Blosser, all of Connellsville. Mrs. Brown is the third of Mrs. Blosser's children to die since last November.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon, services at the home in Confluence. On Monday morning Funeral Director Charles C. Mitchell will bring the body to Connellsville for interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

MORE GARDEN PRIZES

Judges Make Awards at Bitner and Gates Plants.

The annual inspection of the gardens and lawns at the Bitner plant of the H. C. Frick Coke Company was held Thursday. Superintendent Jas. H. Pettigrew selected the following committee which awarded the prizes: George D. Ansell, James H. Smith and David Molkman, all of Franklin township. The committee was surprised at the number of flourishing gardens found. The following awards were made. Gardens, first, Mike Misingo, coke drawer, house 89; John Miller, coke drawer, house 88. Lawns, William Ball, first, house 65; John Stewart, fireman, house 13, second.

At Gates, where H. N. Boyd is superintendent, the following awards were made: Best gardens, first, Louis Constantino; second, Francinlo Defino, third, John S King. Lawns, first, Mrs. John Piper; second, Mrs. Noah Smith; third, Mrs. Joseph H Shaffer

BITTEN BY BULLDOG.

Mrs. Bernard Gutbrod Painfully Hurt by Pet.

Mrs. Bernard Gutbrod of Murphy avenue was attacked by a pet bulldog Thursday afternoon and as the result is confined to her home with a very sore foot. The dog has been in the Gutbrod family since a puppy.

While going out the door, Mrs. Gutbrod accidently stepped on its foot. The dog grabbed her by the left foot, inflicting an ugly wound. The foot was torn where the large tusks entered. A physician was summoned and cauterized the bites and Mrs. Gutbrod was compelled to take her bed, suffering great pain. Today the pain has subsided somewhat.

NEW APARTMENT.

Three Story Brick Building to Go Up in Greenwood.

Mrs. Estella Ford has awarded the contract for the erection of a three-story brick apartment building on Eighth street, in Greenwood, to Contractor A. C. Herwick. He will start work in the near future.

The building will be modern in every respect. It will be brick veneered, the brick to be buff. The exterior appearance is to be decidedly attractive, and the interior arrangements convenient for housekeeping.

The building will adjoin the residence occupied by Mr and Mrs. Harry Ford on Eighth street.

HUMPHRIES FUNERAL.

Public Services at Home Followed by Private Interment.

The funeral services over the body of the late Enoch A. Humphries, the coke operator, who died suddenly at his home in Scottdale on Thursday afternoon from paralysis of the heart, will take place at the late residence on North Chestnut street at 10.30 o'clock Monday morning and to which friends are invited. Following these services the body will be taken to the Scottdale cemetery under care of the Masonic fraternity and the immediate family only and interment will be private.

REV. WATSON HERE.

Former Pastor Will Preach at Christian Church

Rev. and Mrs. C. M Watson and family, former Connellsville residents, arrived here this morning from their home in Norfolk, Va. and are guests of Mrs Josephine Reid of Wills Road. They expect to visit here for about ten days and tomorrow Rev. Watson will preach and conduct communion services in the Christian Church, of which he is a former pastor.

He is now pastor of the Christian Church in Norfolk.

Hixson Family Reunion.

The third annual reunion of the Hixson family will be held September 13, at the home of D. D. Hixson near Wesley Chapel, west of Scottdale. William Hixson is president, George Hixson is treasurer, and Clark Hixson of Connellsville is secretary.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN KILLED BY A TRAIN AT INDIAN CREEK

Milton S. Collins of Ohiopyle is Found Along the Tracks.

STARTED FROM HOME ON VISIT

Accustomed to Spending Days at a Time in Indian Creek Valley, Relatives Were Not Alarmed When He Failed to Return; Worked Here.

Milton S. Collins, 75 years old, a veteran of the Civil War and one of the most widely known residents of Stewart township, was killed at Indian Creek sometime during the night by a Baltimore & Ohio train. The body was found lying along the track this morning by the crew of train No. 9. It was brought to Connellsville and removed to Funeral Director J. E. Sims' establishment where it was prepared for burial. It was later sent to Ohiopyle, where the interment will be made.

Collins had been dead for several hours when his body was discovered and the identity was established when a report was circulated in town that a man named Collins had been killed. Funeral Director Sims got in communication with a son-in-law, W. A. Mason at Ohiopyle, who came here this morning and identified the body.

Mr. Collins had been in poor health for some time and had been in the habit of leaving home and spending a day or so with friends in the Indian creek valley, where he is widely known. For the past three years he had made his home with his son, Amos, and son-in-law, Mr. Mason, at Ohiopyle. Yesterday morning he left the home of his son, Amos, not stating where he was going. Thinking he would return safely as usual, his relatives were not alarmed over his absence.

He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry Collins and born and reared in Stewart township and many years ago was in the employ of Calhoun & Company in Connellsville. He was a blacksmith and carpenter by trade and for 20 years was located in Centerville, Washington county. He married Miss Mary Anne Clark, whose death occurred about seven years ago. The surviving children are Amos Collins and Mrs. W. A. Mason of Ohiopyle and Mrs. Frank Hagan of Uniontown.

MOTHERS INTERESTED

They Will Enter Kids in the Shady Grove Contest.

The baby contest which is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon at Shady Grove in connection with Connellsville Day, seems to have struck a popular chord. Manager Coyle says he has received many inquiries from mothers who wish to enter their babies. He says there will be little or no inconvenience to the mother of child, as the affair will be very simple. The mothers are requested to bring their children to the bandstand promptly at 3.30 in the afternoon where they will be viewed by the judges who will make their decision and give the reward as soon as possible. There will be no entry fee, no solicitation of votes or other annoyances. The decision will be solely upon the merits of the form and facial beauty of the baby.

Nirella's Pittsburg Band, Kiferle's augmented orchestra, both with soloists, will be unusual features of the day, as both are leadering their respective lines of music. The big fireworks display at night and free coffee all day will be among the other attractions. In all, the event promises to be one of the biggest days in the history of the park.

IS JOHNSON DAY.

All Washington Pays Homage to Its Great Pitcher.

United Press Telegram.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 2.—Six years ago today the manager of the Washington American League club sent in a rookie pitcher to start the game against Detroit. The same pitcher, believed by many experts to be the best in every respect that the game has produced, not even excepting the great Matthewson, starts today's game here against Detroit.

It was Walter Johnson day in the District of Columbia, and the big Swede owned the Capitol for twenty-four hours. A popular subscription was raised to present Johnson with a loving cup which is to be presented to him just before the game by President Wilson, provided Mexico and the tariff framers didn't go and spoil the pogram with less important work for Mr. Wilson.

Falls Down Steps.

Lloyd Stark, employed at the Baltimore & Ohio warehouse, fell down a flight of steps yesterday afternoon suffering an injury to the hip. He was removed to the Cottage State Hospital for treatment.

Scottdale Man Low Bidder.

H. R. Eicher of Scottdale was the lowest bidder on the construction of a new Methodist Episcopal Church in Uniontown. The church committee will decide the awarding of the contract.

Wreck an Accident.

That the wreck at Merrittstown in which Motorman W. T. Nicholson met death was an accident was the verdict of Coroner H. J. Bell's jury at the inquest yesterday.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Ellen Kelly of West Apple street, has returned from the Pittsburg Ear and Eye Hospital, where she had a cataract successfully removed from her eye.

Miss Katherine Jones of Scottdale, was a Connellsville visitor yesterday.

Miss Jean Cooper of Huston avenue, left yesterday for Jersey City, N. J., where she will spend a month the guest of her cousins, Misses Naomi and Ruth Cooper. Before returning home Miss Cooper expects to visit Atlantic City, Cape May and other summer resorts.

Kettering's Band will be at Shady Grove Sunday for 4 big concerts. —Adv.

Mrs. Cooper and two daughters, Naomi and Ruth of Jersey City, N. J., who have been spending the past few days at the home of Mr and Mrs. W C Cooper of the South Side returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bishop and Mrs. Lucky and son, John of Dawson, left this morning for Somerfield, where they will spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs George Ramsey of Masontown, Va., are visiting friends on the West Side.

Loans from $10 up on furniture, pianos, horses, wagons, or any personal property. Union Loan Company, 207 Title & Trust building, corner Main and Pittsburg streets. Both phones. —Adv.

Frank N. Payne of the West Side, left yesterday evening for Denver, Colo., where he will visit at the home of relatives.

Mrs. W. A. Bitner and children left today for Meyersdale, where they will spend two weeks.

Viletta Michaels of the West Side, left yesterday morning for Morgantown, W. Va., where she will spend some time.

Mrs. G W. Conrad and family are visiting in Akron, O.

Mrs. James J. Driscoll and children of the West Side, will leave Monday for Waverly, W. Va., where they will visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Corbitt.

If possible, hear the 4 big concerts by Kettering's Band at Shady Grove Sunday.—Adv.

Miss Dordella Miller went to Ridgeview Park this afternoon to remain over Sunday. She will attend the Epworth League Institute.

Mrs. L N Santmyer has gone to Pleasantville to visit friends and relatives.

Misses Hazel Richter and Ada Mae Santmyer went to Ohiopyle this afternoon to remain over Sunday. Tonight they will attend a dance to be given for the summer guests at the Ferncliffe Hotel and Ohiopyle House.

Carl Port and Edgar Powell left today for a sojourn at Atlantic City.

The ready-made dealer advertises his clothes to be "almost" as good as tailor-made. Do you see the point? Dave Cohen, tailor.—Adv.

Miss Jennie Smith teacher in the Douglass Business College and Miss Rosse Bolger are home from a trip to Rochester, Thousand Islands, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

Mrs H. B. Pieman of East Fairview avenue returned home today from a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Milton Nelson of Pittsburg, is the guest of Miss Helen Carroll of Sixth street, West Side. Mr. Nelson will spend Sunday here.

Mrs. James Dixon and children of Meyersdale, arrived here this morning for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. Joseph Dixon and son Joseph, went to Pittsburg this morning and from there, accompanied by Mrs W. B. Knolle of Pittsburg, they will leave for Hamilton, Can., to visit Mr. and Mrs. D J Hoover.

Miss Mary Cusick of Homestead, is the guest of Miss Margaret Holleran of Highland avenue.

Dorothy Dennis of Wilkinsburg, is a guest at the home of Mr and Mrs. Jesse Herbert of Tenth street, West Side.

L. H. Long, salesman for the Westmoreland Grocery Company, has returned from a fishing trip to Somerfield.

Mrs M. H Korbler and children arrived home today from a visit with relatives in Zanesville, O.

Mrs C. L. Mehlzer and daughter, Miss Calista, and Miss Julia Lowhey are home from a trip to Berkley Springs, W Va.

Miss Rose McMahon of Ocean, Md., has returned home, after a visit at the home of Mrs. Ellen Kelly on West Apple street.

Carrie Jane Marietta, little daughter of Wade H. Marietta, is visiting Mrs. Emmet Johnson in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jamieson are home from a trip to Baltimore, Old Point Comfort, Boston and Atlantic City.

P. J. and Michael O'Connor have gone to Boston to attend the Knights of Columbus convention.

Miss Freada Rhodes of the West Side, returned home yesterday from Grove City College, where she took a summer course.

Miss Ethel Buckingham, Miss Beulah Gilmore, Miss Katherine Francis, Miss Mabel Golden, Miss Mayme Brickman, Miss Grace Adams, Miss Lillian Edmunds are home from State College, which closed yesterday.

Morris J. Goodzin, general manager of the Surprise Department Store, returned home last night from a weeks' vacation spent at Atlantic City, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

Lawrence DeWitt of Detroit, Mich., was called here by the illness of his father J. A DeWitt.

Mrs. Charles Collins is visiting relatives at Ohiopyle.

MRS. STUNGER'S FUNERAL

Perryopolis Woman is Buried in Mt. Washington Cemetery.

The funeral of Mrs. Lucinda Stenger took place from her home at Perryopolis yesterday afternoon Rev. J. A. Younkins of the Methodist Episcopal Church officiated in the absence of Reverend Blair, pastor of the Christian Church. The services were largely attended and the floral tributes were numerous and handsome.

The pallbearers were M. W. Carson, John Wilkes, Henry Thompson, Abe Layton. Interment in Mount Washington cemetery. Mrs. Stenger was 70 years old.

Funeral Tomorrow.

The funeral of Mrs. Daisy May Swartzwelder will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from the May residence in South Pittsburg street, instead of 2 o'clock. Rev. C. M. Watson of Norfolk, Va., will officiate.

Read the opening chapters of our new story in this issue.

SOCIETY.

Society Plans Lectures.

The entertainment committee of the Young Men's Hebrew Association is arranging for a program of lectures to be given by well known speakers during the remainder of the summer, the fall and winter months. The committee proposes to conduct entertainments every three weeks. Members who were in Pittsburg yesterday arranged with Rev. Dr eLonard Levy and Attorney A. C. Stein to deliver addresses. Two prominent women speakers of Pittsburg have also promised to participate in the program.

Aid Society Meets.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. John Johnson on Third street, West Side. There was a large attendance and the meeting was one of interest. Music was rendered by Mrs. E. N. Stahl, Misses Stahl and Florence Stauffer and Miss Pauline Johnson. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. B. Stauffer on Third street.

Dance for Guests.

Miss Martha Grier of Dunbar, was hostess at a dance and luncheon at Shady Grove last night, which was given in honor of the Misses Walker of Walker's Mills. Seven couples were present.

Picnic for Newlyweds.

A delightful picnic was held yesterday at the private park of Mr and Mrs H. L Robinson in South Connellsville in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Langford who were recently married. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Berkey and daughter Nellie, Miss Clemens of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs George Langford and family and Mrs P. A. Robinson.

John Erlich's Funeral.

The funeral of John Erlich will take place from the family residence on Snyder street tomorrow afternoon at 2.30 o'clock and from the Immaculate Conception Church at 3 o'clock. Interment in St Joseph's cemetery.

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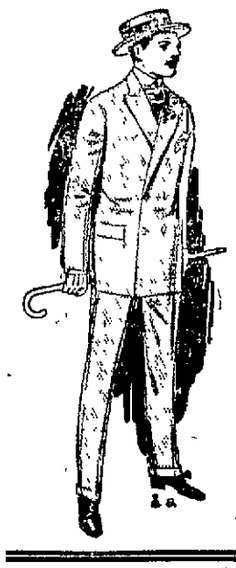

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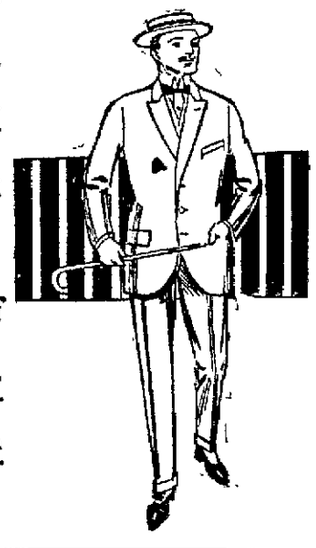

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Children's Colored Dresses

This will be our final cleanup of all Children's Colored Dresses. A very much larger assortment, too, than we cared to have when it came to selling them at a sacrifice. However, it only gives you a larger assortment of pretty styles to choose from at all prices in sizes from 6 to 14 years. August 5th and 6th. **Half Price**

Children's White Dresses

A big assortment of these and at this price we expect every one to go. This is an exceptional lot of pretty lingerie and other styles that can be had at this sale at much less than the cost of making. All sizes from six to fourteen years and for our two Bargain Days they will go at ..... **Half Price**

Final Clearance of All Coats and Suits

With Liberal Price Reductions in All Other Departments of this Old Home Store, for Two Days Only.

Ladies' White Dresses

Just about thirty of these left and all good, summer styles, ranging in price up to $20.00. Made of Ratines, Voiles, Linens and lingerie and beautifully trimmed with laces, embroideries, etc. The woman who gets one of these will get a bargain worth while. For Bargain Days, August 5th and 6th.....$5.00 and $10.00

Ladies' Dress Skirts

Good, practical, serviceable styles that at this price are worth coming after. At their regular price, up to $9.00, they are good values, and at our sale price they are much more so. Bargain Days at only.....$5.00

Ladies' Neckwear

A lot of spring and summer styles, some of it slightly soiled, that we are going to close out. Almost every style is represented in this large assortment, the majority of which are good and practical and worth all of the regular price. For Bargain Days only .....Half Price

Tuesday and Wednesday, August 5th and 6th
Connellsville's Annual Bargain Days

All Suits Those who attended our last year's Bargain Sale in coats and suits will understand the importance of this sale when we say that we expect it to be bigger and better than ever before. W are going to give you your choice of our entire stock of this season's suits for $10.00, and we want to say right here that these are all good, practical styles and not one among them that isn't worth double that amount. They were good values, we thought, when we marked them at $20.00 and on up to $40.00. It doesn't matter to us whether you select a $25.00 or $40.00 suit on that day. It will cost you only..... **$10.00**

All Coats This means that every Ladies' and Misses' Coat in the store must be sold during this two days' sale and to make it unusual we have made the price ridiculously low. There is a good range of sizes in women's, misses' and children's styles regularly priced up to $25. The fact that these garments can be worn from now up until late in the fall will add much to the importance of this coat sale. Every garment will retain its original price ticket so you can see just what you are getting and know that we are not quoting fictitious values. At this price we expect a total cleanup within two days..... **$5.00**

Children's Coats

Going to make quick work of these on Bargain Day. All are good, staple styles, perfectly correct for service up until late in the fall. A good line of sizes, styles, fabrics and colors at prices up to and beyond double the price asked. Choice these two days.....$3.00

Stamped Linens

Want to clean up our stock of these and make room for the new and have made our price accordingly. The line includes Cushion Tops, Library Covers, Table Runners, Stand Covers, Centre Pieces and Novelties. These are priced at 25c up and for Bargain Day only..Half Price

Embroidery Clean-Up

All that is left of these we will put out at this small figure. Mostly neat patterns in insertings, beadings and galloons that were marked to sell at 5c, 10c and even higher.

For these two days only, the yard..... 3c

Silk Glove Clean-Up

Clearance of all ladies' silk gloves in colors. The sizes are broken, but those who can get their size will get a good glove at .....Half Price

All Scrims Reduced

Going to close out our stock of plain and colored scrims at a bargain. This is your chance to buy curtains for any room in the house at a very low price. A good, big assortment to choose from, too, especially in plains with endgings to match. Look these over and put them on your list.

One Third Off.

Colored Hosiery

One lot of Ladies' Colored Hosiery in all the best colors and evening shades will be closed out on Bargain Days. These are a full range of sizes and are fine silk lisle with high spliced heel and toe. Regular 50c values for Agust 5th and 6th at..Half Price

Our Bargain Day Special

1200 good, heavy Union Linen Huck Towels, size 19x40, with fancy borders in red, blue or white. This is the greatest towel bargain ever offered by this store and one you should not neglect taking advantage of.

35c Pair or 3 Pairs $1.00.

15c Ginghams

Full 32 inchs wide and suitable for house and street dresses, shown in stripes and checks only in very desirable shades. Probably the best gingham offering you will have for many a day. Just for August 5th and 6th only at 10c

Remnants

Last, but not least, is our Remnant bargains. You will be able to buy on these days the choicest merchandise of the season, short lengths ad odd lots of course, but at a real price inducement. It will pay you to stop at our **Remnant Counter.**

SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES.

Church notices must reach this office by 9 A. M. Saturday; those received later cannot be printed. No notices will be received by telephone.

THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL Church, Rev. R. C. Wolf, pastor. Preaching at 11 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sabbath school 9.45 A. M. Epworth league 6.45 P. M. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7.45. The Junior league has adjourned during the month of August. Church services both morning and evening during the month of August.

FIRST CHRISTIAN SCIENCE Society, Uniontown, room No. 1, second floor, Herald building. Sunday school at 10 A. M. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Love." Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH, South Connellsville, R. C. Miller, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Sunday School at 9.30 A. M. Prayer services Wednesday evening.

GERMAN LUTHERAN ST. JOHN'S Church on Carnegie avenue and East South street, George Dietz, pastor. Services at 10.30 A. M. Subject of sermon taken from Corinthians 15, 1-10: "The Heart of the Church is the Word, the Heart of the Word is Christ, the Heart of Christ is Grace." Sunday school at 9 o'clock. Church Council will meet at 11.30 A. M. Confirmation class on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

THE METHODIST PROTESTANT Church, Robert E. Cairns, pastor. Sabbath school 10 A. M. Morning service 11. Subject, "The Love of Christ." Christian Endeavor Society at 7 P. M. Leader Mrs. Mary Belle Fair. Evening service 7.45. Subject, "Sins Blotted Out." Mrs. Harriet Berger Neilson will preside at the organ at both services.

TRINITY REFORMED Church, South Pittsburg and Green streets, Rev. Charles E. Wagner, pastor. Sunday school at 9.15 A. M. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Pastor will speak on "The Pharisee and Publican." Evening service at 7.45. You are cordially invited to worship with us. Young Ladies' Guild meets Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Buchanan Rudolph, 1214 Chestnut street, South Side. After tomorrow there will be no preaching service until Sunday, August 31. Sunday school as usual each Sunday morning at 9.15.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church South Pittsburg street, Rev. William J. Everhart, minister. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon topic: "Essentials in Christian Living." Text Colossians 3:16. Evening worship at 7.15. Sermon: "Look and Live." Text John 3, 14:15. Sabbath school at 9.45 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7.45. Topic "The Passover." Leader Rev. W. J. Everhart. To our Bible school and preaching and prayer services we extend you a hearty invitation to come.

UNITED BRETHREN Church, Rev. J. H. Bridgum, pastor. Sabbath school 9.15 A. M. Morning worship at 11 A. M. Y. P. S. C. E. 6.45 P. M., leader Miss Stutts. Evening worship 7.45. Regular monthly official board meeting Thursday evening at 7.45.

TRINITY LUTHERAN Church. The Bible school will meet promptly at 10 o'clock. Divine services will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. Ellis H. Burgess at 11 A. M. and 7.45 P. M. Subject of the morning sermon, "The Cry of a Sinner." Subject of the evening sermon: "The Keeping Power of God." Strangers will find a welcome at all services.

FIRST BAPTIST Church, South Pittsburg street. Wilbur Nelson pastor. Sunday school at 9.45 A. M. Public Worship with sermon by the pastor at 11 A. M. Evening worship at 7.45. Sermon by thep astor.

INDIAN CREEK.

INDIAN CREEK, August 1.—Mrs. R. C. Galbreath of Vintondale, who has spent the last week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Fish, returned to her today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barthold, who are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dull at Jones Mill, are Connellsville callers today.

Mrs. L. L. Fish is convalescing and will soon be able to be out.

J. Z. Lynn and P. D. Swearman are trying out their new bathing suits in the waters of the Yough. Bathing is proving very popular with the campers all Indian creek and the river.

Mrs. W. F. Alcuire of Connellsville, spent yesterday along the Indian Creek valley.

Mr. Sumpt, the lumber inspector, left for Confluence today on business.

Cleveland Switzer of Normalville, is a business caller in Connellsville today.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sparks of Rogers Mill are calling on Connellsville friends today.

Caryn Shearer of Mill Run, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Shearer, had the misfortunte to break her arm in three places. She fell from a fence at her home last evening. Dr. Brooks was summoned and reduced the fracture.

Nelson Anderson has resigned his position on the McFarland mill. He left for Connellsville today.

A. C. Overholt from his Pike Run country home, left for a business trip to Scottdale today.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Koontz of Davistown left for Somerset today for a few days' visit.

John Hansel was here today from Leisenring.

David Sherman and wife of Pittsburg, returned to their home yesterday after a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Klimmell at Jones Mill.

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REGISTER'S AND CLERK'S NOTICE.

The following Executors, Administrators, Guardians and Trustees have settled their respective accounts in the office of the Register and Clerk of Orphans' Court and the same will be presented for confirmation to the Orphans' Court of Fayette county, at the Court House, Uniontown, Pa., Monday, September 1, 1913.

No.	Estate of	Accountants	Filed
1.	Amy A. Lenhart	T. C. Brown, administrator	April 24, 1913
2.	Mary A. Stewart	Isabella Bryson and Henrietta Wood, executors	April 24, 1913
3.	Frances Hunt	Sadie M. Hunt, executrix	June 13, 1913
4.	Phillip L. Johnston	George Johnston and Dora Johnston, executors	May 8, 1913
5.	Chauncey D. Harader, minor	Altha L. Moser, guardian	May 12, 1913
6.	Martha B. Keener	J. Grove Keener, administrator	May 22, 1913
7.	James W. Pritts	Auburn Pritts, administrator	June 2, 1913
8.	Patton Rush	Evans Rush, trustee	June 27, 1913
9.	Joseph G. Piersol	Rebecca Piersol, executrix	July 2, 1913
10.	Mary A. Bise	Thomas S. Lackey, trustee	July 17, 1913
11.	Anna P. James	F. D. Munson, administrator	July 16, 1913
12.	Elizabeth Cove (alias Ash)	James Ash, administrator	July 16, 1913
13.	Matilda Huntley	Joseph L. Studer, administrator	July 29, 1913
14.	Edward O'Neil, Jr.	D. W. Anderson, administrator	July 22, 1913
15.	John L. Cline	Nellie G. Cline, administratrix	July 22, 1913
16.	Catherine L. Hartsud, minor	Citizens Title & Trust Co., guardian	July 24, 1913
17.	Jesse Hautz, minor	D. M. Hertzog, guardian	July 24, 1913
18.	Henry P. Berryhill	D. M. Hertzog, administrator	July 24, 1913
19.	Lydia McClelland	D. M. Hertzog, executor	July 29, 1913
20.	Wildy Stillwagon	Lillie M. Stillwagon, Administratrix	July 28, 1913
21.	Anthony Banning, minor	R. S. Matthews, administrator of P. S. Newmyer, guardian, dec'd.	July 28, 1913
22.	Simon Sleighter	John C. Sleighter, administrator	July 26, 1913
23.	C. A. Brill	Chas. L. Lewellyn, administrator d. b. n. c. t. a.	July 25, 1913
24.	Clair Stillwagon	Rose Stillwagon, executrix and R. Marietta, executor	July 31, 1913
25.	Max Baum	Simon Rosenbaum, Sussman Rosenbaum and Wm. Baum, executors	July 29, 1913
26.	Isaac H. Weglock	Fayette Title & Trust Co., Administrators	July 29, 1913
27.	Alice B. Steele, minor	Frank P. Henshaw, guardian	July 30, 1913
28.	Donrletta E. Bausch, minor	T. S. Lackey, guardian	July 30, 1913
29.	Presley N. Sinclair	Thos. S. Lackey & Jos. W. Miller, executors	July 31, 1913
30.	Luce William W.	Thomas S. Lackey, executor	July 31, 1913
31.	Francis Johnson	David F. Johnson, administrator	July 30, 1913
32.	Solomon Phillips	William Phillips, Jr., and Ellis P. Phillips, executors	July 31, 1913
33.	J. W. Scott	C. B. Scott and D. W. Henderson, executors	July 30, 1913
34.	William Cook	H. H. Bulger, administrator	July 31, 1913
35.	Kennedy Honesty	William A. Edmiston, administrator	July 31, 1913
36.	Thomas Edwin Junk, minor	John Work, guardian	July 31, 1913
37.	Celia J. Huston	Bertha P. Linderman, administratrix	Aug. 1, 1913
38.	Daniel W. Umbel	Julia W. Umbel, administratrix	Aug. 1, 1913
39.	Eliza A. Hastead	Ada M. Crow, executrix, Frank Hastead, executor	Aug. 1, 1913
40.	Samuel H. Sparks, minor	Fayette Title & Trust Co., guardian	Aug. 1, 1913
41.	Orville K. Frey	Josiah V. Thompson, executor	Aug. 1, 1913
42.	Asa J. Rogers	Sarah E. Rogers, executrix	Aug. 1, 1913
43.	Sarah J. Wood	Chas. A. Tull, administrator of Amadee M. Litman, admr., dec'd.	Aug. 1, 1913

CHARLES O. SCHROYER,
Register and Clerk of Orphans' Court, Uniontown, Pa., August 1, 1913.

AUDIT NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the above accounts will be taken up for audit and the distribution before James C. Work, President Judge of the Orphans' Court of Fayette County, at the Court House at 10 o'clock on each of the following days, viz. Accounts Nos. 1 to 8 inclusive, Monday, September 15, 1913; Nos. 9 to 16 inclusive, Tuesday, September 16, 1913; Nos. 17 to 24 inclusive, Wednesday, September 17, 1913; Nos. 25 to 32 inclusive, Thursday, September 18, 1913; Nos. 33 to 43 inclusive, Friday, September 19, 1913, which cases will be called for hearing on the day and time set forth in the above notice at which time and place creditors, heirs and all other persons interested shall attend, if they see fit, and present their claims against the said estate, or forever be debarred from coming upon said fund.

CHARLES O SCHROYER,
Clerk of Orphans' Court.

COLORED WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. Carrington Victim of a Complication of Diseases.

Mrs. Ida May Carrington, colored, wife of Julius C. Carrington, cook at the St. James Hotel, died yesterday at noon, nut her home in East Main street, of a complication of diseases. Funeral Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence. Interment in Hill Grove cemetery.

In addition to her husband she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Douglass a sister, Mrs. Nancy Crouch of Connellsville, and four brothers, James Douglass of Akron, O; Judson John and Henry Douglass, all of Uniontown.

Colored Teams Meet Monday.

The Mount Pleasant Colored Giants and the Connellsville Snorters will meet on Fayette Field Monday afternoon. The game will be called at 3.30 o'clock.

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Bargain Days

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6 inch $5.00 Silver Bags.....$3.00
(Only 50 of these—So Come Early.)
Ice Teaspoons, set of 6.....$1.00
Set of nice large Salt and Pepper Shakers.....75c
Silver Nut Set, 6 picks and cracks.....75c
Desk or Dresser Clock.....75c
$4.00 Casserole and 6 Cups.....$2.00
6 Bean or Custard Cups.....75c
Lot of $5 and $6 Silver Fern Dishes...$1.50
$6.00 Electric Library Lamps.....$2.50
$10.00 Electric Lamps.....$5.00
6 Cut Glass Tumblers.....$1.00

W. F. Frederick Piano Co.
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SATURDAY EVE'G, AUGUST 2, 1913

COAL TRADE EXPANSION.

The development on a large scale of the Eastern Kentucky coal field by West Virginia and Maryland capitalists prominently identified with the coal and coke business of those states indicates not only a great faith in the Kentucky field, but likewise a great faith in the coal trade.

That faith is not misplaced.

Already we hear it freely predicted that there will be a serious shortage of bituminous coal this winter. The gas business has come back into the coal market and taken a large percentage of the gas coal output, but aside from this there has been a natural and material growth in the demand for this fuel.

In spite of wholesale absorptions of the coal in some fields, there singularly enough remains some of the finest gas and coking coal, accessible by both rail and river, notably that portion of the Pittsburg seam in Washington and Greene counties and the Panhandle of West Virginia.

Furthermore, there is the Panama-Pacific coal trade yet to come and to this market the Pittsburg coal enjoys the great advantage of an all-water route.

THE VOICE OF LABOR.

Upwards of 20,000 of the coke workers of the Connellsville region have formally protested against the dissolution of the United States Steel Corporation and requested that the present proceedings looking toward that end be subjected to the recall.

This petition is worthy of the consideration of the Congress for the reason that it is free from the suspicion of coercion. The labor policy of the corporation has been broad enough in recent years to dispense with coercion in any form, and even were it not so the scarcity of coke region labor for some time past would have made it impossible for employers to have driven their men into any movement, personal or political, without their full and free consent.

The petition of the Frick workmen is the voluntary voice of the plain people in a matter concerning which they feel themselves competent by personal experience to speak intelligently. They do not attempt to argue the question of monopoly, but they are positive in their statements that the corporation has materially bettered wages and working conditions, and that so far as labor is concerned its influence has been beneficent.

Upon this point, however, we believe all the testimony agrees.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

The personnel of the Public Service Commission of Pennsylvania is creditable to the judgment of Governor Tener and assuring alike to the public utility corporations and the citizens whom they serve that substantial justice will be done between them when it becomes necessary to submit matters in dispute.

It was understood pretty generally that the members of the State Railroad Commission would be retained, and this results in placing at the head of the list a Fayette county man of acknowledged ability and integrity.

The Courier had hoped to see John Wesley Bolman named as a member of the commission, but it seems that his application came too late, and he will consequently continue to give expert testimony before public service commissions to the end that the latter may render expert verdicts.

The Connellsville School Board seems determined to revenge itself upon the public for voting down the proposed bond issue by compelling a lot of small and innocent children to walk one distances this winter in all kinds of weather. The board should rent rooms in the respective wards just as they originally intended to do.

The Paint Creek mine strike is frequently settled up, but it never settles down.

The vegetable gardens at the Frick coke plants in the Connellsville region do not need a prize to make them profitable, but such recognition of superior merit is always gratifying to the gardener.

Live wires are too prone to make dead men.

One form of the Back-to-the-Farm movement which appeals to the sporting instincts of city and country is the old-fashioned fair, especially when it includes a race track and some good ponies.

This is a good time for American citizens residing in Mexico to pay a long visit to their home folks.

It has become the fashion for school auditors to compliment the school directors upon "the efficient manner in which they have handled the finances of the district." What will the Connellsville auditors say?

A young man in Washington county claims to be accident-proof. He may be immune, but when the Bull Moose war breaks out again on Catfish he had better take out some insurance.

A Uniontown bottle factory is moving to Pittsburg. How sad, and how strange!

The Bull Moose organization is bound firmly together by the ties of ambition. Every fellow in the outfit expects to land an office.

Colonel Mulhall is cheerfully impartial in his accusations, but it is plain to be seen that he is destined to become very unpopular in Washington.

Repair work on the state roads of Fayette county has been halted, but the contract work is just beginning.

The Secretary of the Navy is cruising around over the country in a high-water Pullman, warranted proof against sea-sickness.

It might be well enough to remember that the first half of 1913 broke all the records of steel production, and that this was under a Democratic administration plus a Republican tariff.

Felix Diaz is on his way to Japan to electioneer for the office of President of Mexico.

Some Narragansett women are in despair over the loss of their jewels, and no wonder. According to report they don't wear much else when they attend some of the most exclusive and select functions.

The weather prophet's business is a cinch. He just keeps on predicting rain until it comes.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

One Cent a Word.

No Advertisement for Less Than 15 Cents.

Classified columns close at noon. Advertisements of wants, sales, etc., received after that hour will not appear until the day following.

Wanted.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED maids. Address M. P., care The Courier. 24julytfd

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAID at TOUCH HOUSE. Foreigner preferred. 30july

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Good wages. Reference required. C. D. TIMBALL, Dunbar. 2aug6td

WANTED—THE OLIVER PLANTS 1, 2 and 3 are running every day and can still take on a few more miners and coke drawers. Apply to Foremen of the respective plants. 14aprtfd

WANTED—WILL PAY RELIABLE man o woman $12.50 to distribute 100 free pkgs. perfumed borax soap powder among friends. No money required. E. W. WARD COMPANY, 210 Institute, Chicago. 2aug1td*

WANTED—LADIES, WHEN DELAYed or irregular use Triumph Pills; always dependable. "Relief" and particulars free. Write NATIONAL MEDICAL INSTITUTE, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. 31may10tsat*

For Rent.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED FRONT room. Inquire No. 10, White Front. 2aug2td

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; 1110 RACE STREET. 1aug4td

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping; 307 E. MAIN STREET. 2aug2td

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOM for gentleman. Centrally located. Call Tri-State Phone 810-Y. 1aug4td

FOR RENT—2 FURNISHED ROOMS in private family on South Side. Ring Bell Phone 548. 1aug4td

FOR RENT—SEVEN ROOM HOUSE, modern conveniences. Rent only $18. Inquire KAHL'S BANK. 26julytfd

FOR RENT—NINE ROOM HOUSE AT 220 Fairview avenue. Inquire MRS. ANNIE GILMORE, 118 E. Main street. 31julytfd

For Sale.

FOR SALE—FOUR AUTOMOBILES. Cheap. Call 45 BELL PHONE. 30julytfd

FOR SALE—OLD CHICKENS AT 18c per pound. Call BELL PHONE 474. 2aug1td

FOR SALE—ONE 25 H. P. GEYSER saw mill in good condition. For further particulars see or write F. V. SLIFER, Somerfield, Pa. 31julytfd*

FOR SALE—ANGLEDILE COMPUTing scale, 50 pounds. Government tested. Will sell cheap. JAMES T. SULLIVAN, 503 N. Eighth street. 1aug2td*

FOR SALE — ON SATURDAY, August 9th at 2 P. M., at public outcry, on the grounds at Trotter, Pa., one mile west of Connellsville, on street car line, one 8-room, 2-story frame school building. Good slate roof and stone foundation. Buyer to remove building and foundation and level off ground on which building now stands. Dunbar Township School Board, C. H. FRANKS, President. J. T. DONOVAN, Secretary. 29july31-eod

Lost.

LOST—GOLD BRACELET WITH name Angie. Liberal reward if returned to Courier. 29july3tsod

LOST—BLACK SILK UMBRELLA, silver handle. Owner's name, Jeannette B. Strayer, on handle. Liberal reward if returned to Courier office. 2aug1td*

Stolen.

STOLEN—FROM HOWARD PHOTO gallery on Monday morning, a brown silk umbrella. The party is known to Mr. Howard and owner. If returned to gallery no questions will be asked, otherwise legal steps will be taken. 2aug1td

Administrator's Notice.

ESTATE OF MIKE MILOSS, DECeased. Letters of administration on the estate of Mike Miloss, late of Dunbar township, Fayette county, Pa., having been granted the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment and to those having claims against the same, to present them properly authenticated for settlement. F. H. YOUNKIN, Administrator, Connellsville, Pa. 26july6t-sat

Public Sale of Valuable Real Estate.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL OFFER at public sale on the premises in Connellsville, Pa., on Saturday, August 16, 1913, at 2 o'clock P. M. the house and lot at 126 West Apple street; lot 33 feet frontage; house frame containing 8 rooms; centrally located; opposite the new postoffice building and a good business stand; possession given at once.

Terms—$100 down and the balance on presentation of proper deed. A mortgage of $2,000 now standing against the property may be carried by the purchaser until April 20, 1915, or anticipated at any time.

Further information will be furnished by S. S. FELKER, owner, Martinsburg, W. Va., or CHARLES M. FEE, auctioneer Uniontown Pa.

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Our Bargain Day Specials

ARE

Any $5 Trimmed Hat for $1

Any $15 to $20 Suit

BARGAIN DAYS FOR

$5.00

Any Long Coat for $5.00

S. & H. Green Trading Stamps.

Mrs. J. R. Foltz

MILLINERY.

E. Main St., Connellsville.

CHAS. C. MITCHELL

FUNERAL DIRECTOR

119 South Pittsburg Street.
Both Phones.
Opposite Wyman Hotel.

17 Years of Practical Experience

I have no solicitors or agents, am doing business strictly on my own merits.

$3.50 RECIPE FREE FOR WEAK KIDNEYS

Relieves Urinary and Kidney Troubles, Backache, Straining, Swelling, Etc.

Stops Pain in the Bladder, Kidneys and Back.

Wouldn't it be nice within a week or so to begin to say goodbye forever to the scalding, dribbling, straining, or too frequent passage of urine; the forehead and the back-of-the-head aches; the stitches and pains in the back; the growing muscle weakness; spots before the eyes; yellow skin, sluggish bowels; swollen eyelids or ankles, leg cramps; unnatural short breath; sleeplessness and the despondency?

I have a receipt for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a quick recovery, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you $3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, K-437 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering power.

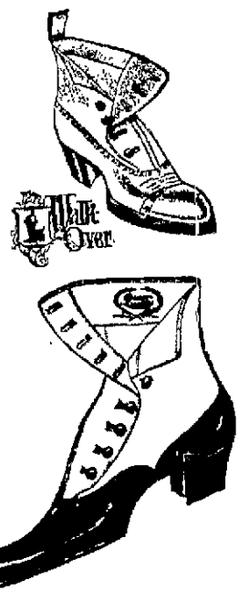
It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home.—Advertisement.

Want Ads. 1c a Word.

Next Week is Bargain Week at This Store

You Can't Pay Us Full Price for a Single Pair of Shoes Next Week

Next week is Bargain Week with us. We are going to begin it on Monday and keep it going all week, closing Saturday night. We have reduced every shoe in our store. It does not make any difference what you buy from us, you will be entitled to a discount not less than 20%, and from that to 75% discount. We mean to clean up everything—high shoes, Oxfords, slippers for house and evening wear, Juliets, work shoes, gum boots, rubbers, baby shoes, and everything that a shoe store would have.



All Walk-Over, Banister and Tilts Shoes Will Be Sold at 20% Off

Low Shoes 33⅓% Off

This will include every shoe in our store, black or tan, all this season's goods. No better makes of shoes sold anywhere than we sell—all well known. Work shoes also included. Shoes will be sold at 20% off the regular price, and low shoes 33⅓% less.

All Queen Quality, Ziegler Bros. and Johnson Bros. Bros. shoes for women will be sold at 20% off on high shoes and 33⅓% off on low shoes. This applies to $1.50 as much as it does for $3.00 shoes—you will be entitled to a discount..

Some Specials

$1.00

A lot of boys' shoes, sizes 9 to 5½, broken sizes

$1.00

$1.00

A lot of girls' shoes, some as high in price as $2.50. Sizes 8½ to 2,

$1.00

$1.50

A lot of ladies' small sizes in Oxfords, sizes 2½ to 4, which formerly sold for $3, $3.50 and $4,

$1.50

Strictly Cash.

Every sale made during this week's sale will be cash. Any pair not satisfactory can be exchanged.

DOWN'S SHOE STORE

127 North Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Pa.

Remember our special item for Bargain Days will be women's one-strap house slippers at **$1.00**

This store will be one Big Bargain for one week only.

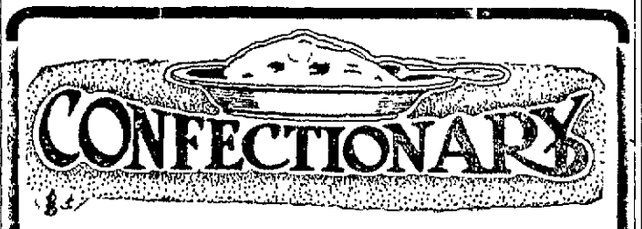
Clean Cut Facts For Men

The Nettleton Shoes at.....$5.50, $6.00 and $6.50
The Ralston Shoes at.....$4.00, $4.50 and $5.00
Are the best in leathers, in style, in fit, in workmanship, in grade.

It's a fact that is being demonstrated every day that the best and highest grade footwear always come out of this store.

HOOPER & LONG,

104 West Main Street.



The Home of the best Home Made Candy.

and our leading specials for August 5 and 6th will be **80c** Boxes of high grade Candies for **50c**

Never overlook our Delicious Maple Ice Cream

Mikalirias & Barbatis

North Pittsburg Street

HAVE YOUR PRINTING DONE AT THIS OFFICE.

Choice Fresh Groceries

The Union Supply Company claim to handle only choice fresh groceries, complying with the new food act of the state of Pennsylvania, which is practically the same as the National law, and protects the retail dealer and his customers when its provisions are complied with. When you buy groceries from one of our stores, you are sure of getting the lowest possible prices; you are sure of getting good, courteous treatment, and you are sure of getting prompt deliveries. Any article in the grocery department you buy, or anything in the line of produce or provisions; they practically all come under the grocery department, you can rest assured is the best in the market. Our wagons deliver free every purchase you make. We solicit a trial.

Union Supply Co.

63 Large Department Stores.

Located in Fayette, Westmoreland and Allegheny Counties.

LIGHTNING FREAKS AND FURY MARKED PECULIAR STORM

House With Half Dozen People in It Almost Wrecked by a Bolt.

FLOWERS ARE ELECTROCUTED

Hailstones Like Hickory Nuts Beat Down Corn and Grain; Stock Killed While Under Trees; People Badly Frightened; Other Notes of News.

SCOTTDALE, August 2.—Charles Swearer who came to town from out about the Reagantown neighborhood on Friday told of the electric storm that swept that section shortly after noon on Tuesday. He pronounced it the worst storm in the memory of the people of that locality, and much worse than the fierce storm that struck there last summer, and which caused great damage and consternation among the people.

In the recent storm houses were struck by lightning, which also splintered trees and killed stock. Charles Foss was the heaviest loser, for a lightning bolt struck the chimney, tore off nearly half of the slate roofing, split window frames, knocked off the plaster, damaged the timbers under the house and went into the ground of the cellar. Mr. Foss was over at Mount Aetna repairing a school house, as part of his duties as a school director in South Huntingdon township. Mrs. Foss and five children were in the house and were severely shocked. The house was set on fire, but the downpour extinguished the blaze. The house was filled with smoke from the flash and the family terribly frightened ran to the barn where they remained until the storm abated. Part of the flash ran along some chicken wire used as a runner for flowers on the porch and killed the flowers.

Charles Foss was another one at whose home the lightning played uncanny pranks. A bolt struck the lightning rod, which was evidently not grounded deeply in moist earth, jumped off the rod apparently onto a stove pipe and followed the wires bracing the pipe to the ground. A large dahlia was growing at the foot of one of these wires and the lightning flash melted the flower to the ground.

At the farm of John Smith, near Barren Run, two head of stock were instantly killed by a bolt that shattered the tree under which the animals were standing.

Mr. Swearer said that one feature of the storm was a tremendous hailstone bombardment, hailstones as large as hickory nuts falling. The corn was cut down and oats and hay beaten down by the storm.

PITCAIRN VISITORS.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Scully of Pittsburgh are spending a week at Pritstown visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Truxal and Mrs. Scully's grandmother, Mrs. Nancy Truxal.

RETURN HOME.

Mrs. Jesse Moore and nieces, Miss Helen and Mary Merdis of Carnegie returned home Thursday evning after spending a week in Pritstown, visiting the families of their relatives Mr. and Mrs. John Truxal and Mr. and Mrs. John Paul.

TO CANTON.

Misses Ruth and Elise Swartzendruber returned to their home in Canton, O., after a pleasant visit with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Swartzendruber and were accompanied by the latter's daughter, Miss Olive Swartzendruber.

VISIT OF THE STORK.

The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. John Mackey of Pritstown on Wednesday morning and left a son.

AT CARNEGIE.

Mrs. J. S. Johnston, wife of Superintendent J. S. Johnston of the West Penn Electric Company at Scottdale, accompanied by the children, is visiting relatives in Carnegie.

DELEGATES ELECTED.

The W. C. T. U. held its business meeting at the home of Mrs. C. A. Colborn and heard reports from the superintendents that showed progress. Mrs. Lucy A. Poole was elected delegate and Mrs. William Eicher alternate to the Ridgeview Institute, August 5 and 6. After the business meeting refreshments were served and a social time enjoyed.

TO ATLANTIC CITY.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Dorley, and child, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Porter, Miss Mary Weaster, Miss Nettie McClary and the Misses Tannehill have gone over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for a two weeks' stay at Atlantic City.

IN TYRONE WRECK.

The name of Mrs. H. R. Richer, aged 28, of Scottdale, among the list of injured in the wreck at Tyrone, having had her nose broken, puzzled a great many people in Scottdale, as no one of that name was known here. The explanation which came out was simple enough. The victim was Mrs. H. R. Eicher which name when pronounced sounds exactly like that what was printed.

RETURNS HOME.

Mis Marie Dunn of Smithfield has returned home after spending the week here visiting her friends, Misses Ethel Freits and Annie Ritchie.

JOHN TEETERS DEAD.

John Teeters died from paralysis of the heart, at his home near the Zion Church, on Friday morning. The funeral will take place at the Tarr Methodist Episcopal Church on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

GIVING SCARF PINS.

Local Tobacco Dealers Make Valuable Donation to Customers.

For the next few days tobacco dealers in Connellsville will give, to every purchaser of a package of Cutty Pipe smoking tobacco, a 14-karat gold-plated scarf pin, with a variety of attractive designs to select from. They are in good taste and finely made, a pin which can be worn with satisfaction and pleasure.

The manufacturers of Cutty Pipe tobacco are willing to make wide distribution of these pins to secure a wide trial for this brand.

Try our classified advertisements.

Prosperity or Panic

The general condition of business is never as good as it is believed to be in times of great prosperity, and is never as bad as it appears to be in periods of unusual depression. Facts are always exaggerated, whether good or bad. The man who is believed to be a millionaire is often worth only a tenth of that amount and the apparent pauper who begs on the street sometimes owns blocks of Real Estate.

Real information is hard to get. We have made every effort in arranging sources of statistical information for our monthly Trade Letter to secure the most dependable figures obtainable, and we believe that the business man who regularly reads our trade reports will be able at all times to answer in a satisfactory way the common question "How's business?"

First National Bank,
Connellsville, Pennsylvania.

Old Mesh Bags Made New

As We Receive It.

We repair, refinish and reline any size mesh bag. Prices $1.50 to $2.50. We have them relined in kid or silk, replated and finished like new. Also gold plated at reasonable prices.

As We Return It.

HYATT, The Jeweler
Connellsville, Pa.

Merchants' Bargain Day at the Big Store

The Merchants' two Bargain Days at the Big Store will be one continuous BARGAIN CELEBRATION. We are going to show the buying public what Merchants' Bargain Days mean at this big progressive store. Our aim is to bring in thousands of people and create a greater feeling of harmony between this store and its patrons. We propose to attain this end by values that will eclipse any attempt this or any other store has ever made. Weeks have been spent in preparation for these two bargain days. Wholesalers and manufacturers have cooperated with us, and have made special price concessions so that we can give you THE BEST VALUES ever known. We urge you to come to this store during the two bargain days and supply all your present and future needs. Come early.

A Specially Prepared List in Addition to 101 Bargains to Make it Pay You to Take a Day Off

$2.50, $3.00 and $4.00 Shirts

Finest silk, silk and linen and mercerized silks, soft negligees, with soft French cuffs. Fine for outing and very desirable for dress or business wear. All sizes in the handsomest patterns. All reduced from $2.50, $3 and $4 to .. **$1.85**

$2.00 Shirts $1.48.

Fine madras, percales, piques and mercerized silks in plain or pleated bosom. Choose from these fine garments at **$1.48**

$1.00 and $1.25 Shirts 69c.

Soft or pleated bosoms, with laundered or soft turn-back cuffs. Very handsome patterns in madras and percales, also mercerized cloths. Equally desirable for outing, dress or every-day wear. $1 and $1.25 shirts.... **69c**

Men's $1 Union Suits 79c

"B. V. D." or "Airy Knit" in long or short sleeves or athletic style, knee ength drawers, made of balbriggan or nainsook $1 garments for **79c**

$4.00 Leather Suit Cases $2.90.

Genuine leather made over strong steel frames reinforced with binder board, cloth lined, cowhide corners, inside and outside straps. $4.00 values, reduced to.. **$2.90**

Men, Attention!

Any man's or youth's suit in entire stock, $20.00 to $30.00 values **$14**

During Merchants Bargain Days we hold a Reduction Sale of Men's and Young Men's Clothing. Connellsville men know what an important event this is from a money-saving standpoint. It's an honest attempt to give a really extraordinary value during Merchants Days and every suit in our unexcelled stocks will therefore come under this severe cut price.

All plain blue suits, as well as beautiful fancy patterns and colors, fashionable Norforks or smart two and three-button sack suits, every thread purest wool, workmanship of the highest class, the kind of clothes you'll be proud to wear. Select any suit, $20 to $30 value at **$14.00**

Men's $12.50 Suith, $7.90.

These suits come in grays, tans and blue grays, in two and three-button coat styles. Splendid suits that will give satisfactory wear **$7.90**

Men's Straw Hats 98c.

Any straw hat in our remaining stocks whether $2, $2.50 or $3.00 ..... **98c**

Panamas not included.

Men's Soft and Stiff Hats $1.48.

Regular $1.25 and our Special $1.90 hats. All the best colors and best styles. Bargain Day price **$1.45**

Men's Best 50c Overalls 35c

Made of best quality denim, strong, well made, long wearing kind, special at **36c**

Best 50c Work Shirts 36c.

Made of chambray and striped shirtings, cut full and roomy. Bargain price **36c**

Men's 75c Night Gowns 59c.

Collar or low neck styles at **59c**

Men's $3.50 and $4 Oxfords $2.45

Newest styles in black and tan. Values to $4.00 at **$2.65**

Men's $6 and $7 Oxfords $3.85.

Stetson and Florscheim makes in finest leathers, black and tan **$3.85**

Men's Work Shoes $1.98

Best medium priced work shoes made.

50c Silk Hose 35c
35c Wash Ties 25c
Men's 39c Underwear 29c

Men's Pants at $2.45.

Profits go a glimmering in this sale of pants. They are all from our regular stocks, elegant, perfect fitting, made of the best trouser fabrics, at **$2.45**

KOBACKER'S
THE BIG STORE

STORE CLOSES AT 6:00 P. M. : SATURDAYS AT 10 P. M.

Great Bargain News from the Shoery

Makes this Most Profitable Space in the Paper for You

The bright gleam of summer savings shines out from every corner at 126 South Pittsburg street beginning today, and continues all this week. Not one big value, here and there, but a host of them in each department. No matter what you want to make your feet comfortable, for vacation or staying at home, you will find we can satisfy your wants in style and quality

At One-Third Less Than Others Ask

Ask for like qualities and compare our prices with other advertisers. Come and look at our footwear. Buy and save money.

White Shoes and Two-Strap Slippers for misses and children for **69c, 89c and 98c**

Ladies' White Shoes and Two-Strap Pumps for **$1.98, $1.39 and 98c**

Ladies' Pumps, gun metal, patent colt and tan, high or low heel **$2.98, $1.98 and $1.48**

Men's Oxfords, patent colt, gun metal and tan
$5.00 Burt & Packard **$3.98**
$4.00 Commonwealth **$2.98**

$2.50 Men's Outing Bals **$1.69**
Men's $3.00 Work and Dress Shoes **$1.98**

$2.50 Boys' Shoes and Oxfords **$1.98 and $1.48**
Boys' Outing Bals **$1.69 and $1.48**

Hundreds of pairs of Ladies' Oxfords and Shoes, broken lots and small sizes, $3.00 and $4.00 values, loaded on tacks in our bargain basement; if you have a small foot fit it up at ..... **69c and 98c**

Smith's Shoery
126 South Pittsburg Street,
Half Way Between Main Street and Fairview Avenue.
CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Two-Strap Sandals for misses and children, in patent colt, gun metal and tan, 3 to 8 at 89c and 98c; 8½ to 11, $1.48; 11½ to 2, $1.69.
Barefoot Sandals, the 75c and $1.00 kind, all sizes up to 2 ..... **48c-69c**

Here's roofing you don't have to paint or repair. Here's roofing made so uniformly good that the manufacturers guarantee ten years service, or more, without painting or repairing.

Sample and booklet free.

F. T. EVANS,
Connellsville, Pa.

BALTIMORE & OHIO RAILROAD

Sunday Excursions

50c OHIOPYLE and return.

65c KILLARNEY PARK and return.

Aug. 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31.
SPECIAL TRAIN
Will leave Connellsville 10.10 A. M.

Patronize Those Who Advertise.

CALL JIMMIE, The Electric Man

30 Years in the Business.
The Old Original Pioneer Electrician.
No Office. No Automobile.

JAS. W. HOWARD,
129½ East Church Place,
Tri-State Phone No. 685.

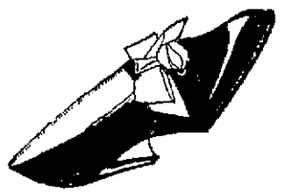
Bargain Day Specials

One lot of Men's Tan and Black Oxfords—were $4.00 and $3.50—reduced to

$2.15

A large assortment of ladies' Patent, Dull and Tan Oxfords and Pumps—were $4, $3.50 and $3.00—reduced to

$1.95



One lot of ladies' Black Shoes, of broken sizes, were $2.50 and $2.00, reduced to

$1.00

All other Pumps, Oxfords and White Shoes One-Fourth Off regular prices.

REGAL STORE
Crowley & Mestrezat

130 N. PITTSBURG STREET, CONNELLSVILLE, PA.

Sports

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday.

*Pittsburg 3; Brooklyn 2.
Boston 3; St Louis 0
Philadelphia 5; Cincinnati 1
New York 5; Chicago 2.

*10 innings.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	66	29	.696
Philadelphia	56	35	.611
Chicago	50	46	.521
Pittsburg	48	46	.511
Brooklyn	42	48	.467
Boston	41	52	.441
Cincinnati	38	61	.384
St. Louis	37	60	.381

Today's Schedule.

Brooklyn at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Scores Yesterday.

Cleveland 6; Boston 2
*St. Louis 5; Philadelphia 3.
Detroit 9; Washington 3.
Chicago-New York—rain.

*8 innings, darkness.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	57	30	.691
Cleveland	61	38	.616
Washington	55	42	.567
Chicago	51	51	.500
Boston	46	49	.484
Detroit	42	59	.416
St. Louis	41	63	.394
New York	31	62	.333

Today's Schedule.

Detroit at Washington.
Chicago at New York.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at Boston.

IDLE CARS INCREASE.

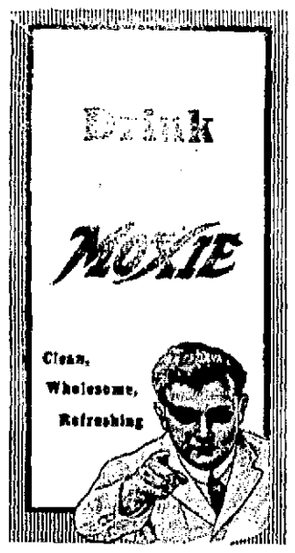
For First Time This Year They Show Gain Over Last.

The report of the American Railway Association for the fortnight ending July 15, issued under date of July 22, shows surplus equipment amounting to 75,350, as compared with 70,740 cars June 30, an increase in idle equipment of 5,540 cars.

For the first time this year the amount of idle equipment exceeds that of a corresponding date last year, the number July 15, being 5,380.

Do You Want Help?

Try our classified ads. One cent a word. Results follow.



A Square Deal to Men

—is our motto and has been the years we have been specialists in Men's Diseases. We have never departed from this motto. We don't accept for treatment cases which we deem incurable. We have turned away from our offices more men than most doctors ever see—men who really have no disease but who simply do not understand their bodies.

—Knowing doctors as we do, we dread to think what small chances these men have of getting a "Square Deal" had they gotten into the hands of doctors who are always looking for (and who always find) the most horrible diseases they can scare a man into thinking he had.

WE ARE DIFFERENT

and just because we deal honestly by you men is why we have the confidence of all.

WE TREAT ALL MEN'S DISEASES

and we have the most complete office equipment. Every ELECTRICAL and other outfit useful in treating the complaints of men—MEDICATED VAPORS, HIGH FREQUENCY and a host of other apparatus.

—If you have anything wrong with you anywhere—if you "don't feel just right," come in and see us, free of cost. Rheumatism, Catarrh, Stomach, Liver, Bowel, Bladder, Kidney and other organs. Varicose Veins, Effects of Habits, Discharges, Weakness and every trouble of man. PILES A SPECIALTY.

THE DR. BARNES OFFICES

at the Second National Bank Building, Uniontown, Pa., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. At 106 West Main street, Connellsville, Pa., Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Sundays by appointment. Consultation Free. Office hours: 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

Special Notice to Dealers We want every dealer in Connellsville to be supplied with these Gold-Plated Stick Pins and to take advantage of this special offer. All dealers who have not already been supplied, may secure a supply of these Gold-Plated Stick Pins by applying of A. Beck, between 3 and 5 o'clock this afternoon, at Cutty Pipe Headquarters, Yough House, Phone:—Tri-State 176, Bell 287.

Read our New Story "The Husbands of Edith"

Merchants Annual Bargain Days

Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 5 and 6,

AT THE FOLLOWING STORES:

For this, the Third Annual Bargain Day Sales, each merchant has done his utmost to provide seasonable merchandise of standard quality to sell at the sensationally small prices that has made the "Merchants" Bagain Day famous.

Forty-nine merchants representing every line of trade are taking a loss on certain good things to make Connellsville your shopping place. The leading stores will publish page advertisements of other goods not listed here. Watch the papers. Come either or or both days and buy your fill. The merchants welcome you!

TOWEL SPECIAL.

1,200 pairs 19x40 Heavy Union Huck Towels with fancy borders, all white. Great bargain for August 6th

3 Pairs $1.00

E. DUNN.

FOR BARGAIN DAY.

Any hat in the shop at one-fourth the regular price

F. A. McFARLAND, Milliner.

West Apple Street.

Dr. Price's

"FRUITY DESSERT"

Regular price 10c a box; Bargain Day Price, four boxes for 25c.

Comes in any flavor.

W. R. SCOTT, Grocer.

Bargain Day Special.

REGAL SHOE STORE

All Oxfords, Pumps and White Shoes, ¼ off.

Crowley-Mestrezat Co.

EARLY JUNE PEAS

10c Can; 3 cans 25c

G. W. BRICKMAN & CO.

302 N. Pittsburg St.

Connellsville Picture Frame Company.

¼ off on all frame pictures. Our pictures are all new.

F. G. HALL, Mgr.

W. N. LECHE,

104 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.

Bargain Day Special—390 Children's Union Suits

In Unbleached Fleece Lined for winter, and winter will soon be here.

17c—3 for 50c.

WE LOSE, YOU GAIN.

Doc Bird says the store that gives most change back.

Revall Pearl Tooth Powder regular 25c—Bargain Day only 11½c a box.

West Penn Pharmacy,

130 West Main Street, Connellsville Pa.

Robinson & Miller.

One Square from Everywhere

OUR SPECIAL WILL BE ROUND STEAK AT 18 CENTS PER POUND.

Connellsville Market.

COLGATE'S TALCUM

All Odors.

10c

GRAHAM & CO.

M. H. LEVINSON

128 N. Pittsburg Street

Bargain Day Special

$1 00 Wabash Brand Overalls at 61c a Pair.

For Bargain Days Only

All the latest designs of wall paper in our store, values up to 25c, only 1c per bolt

The Peoples Furniture & Hardware Store.

Corner Pittsburg and Peach Streets, Connellsville, Pa

GOLDSMITH BROS.

Clothiers and Furnishers

Men's 50c Ties, Four-in-Hand, at 25c.

Surprise Department Store.

J Grodzin, Prop'r

139 W. Main St, Connellsville, Pa.

50c Sheets (72x90) .. 29c

For Bargain Day Only.

Surprise Department Store, next door to the West Penn Waiting Room.

CONNELLSVILLE GARAGE

Blue Ribbon Polish Half Price.

CHICAGO DAIRY CO

5c per pound off all grades of coffee bargain days.

ARTMAN'S BARGAIN DAY SPECIAL.

10-quart Preserve Kettle—White Lined Blue and White Mottled Outside. Perfect in every way Regular 85c seller,

25c

Women's one and two-strap House Slippers $1.

Easy and Comfortable.

DOWN'S SHOE STORE

127 N Pittsburg Street, Connellsville, Pa.

The greatest bargain ever offered in the clothing business in Fayette county

All Men's and Boys' Clothing at ½ Off

S M. GOODMAN

134 N. Pittsburg Street.

Bargain Day Bargains at

E. J. ENOS' CIGAR STORE.

A regular 10c box of smoking tobacco and a good pipe for 20c.

ANCHOR GROCERY

P. H. Beighley, Prop.

Moxley's special and Holland butterine 20c per pound.

Baked Pork and Beans

7 cans, 10c size 55c.

Snyder or Crukshank Brand

MUIR MEAT MARKET

$1 50, $2 00, $2 50 and $3 00 waists 69c.

On Pittsburg Street.

KOBACKER'S

THE BIG STORE

Bargain Day Special

One pound good mixed tea 15c.

HENRY RHODES,

Grocer.

813 West Main Street.

All Lancaster Apron Ginghams per yard 4c.

The Peoples Department Store,

220-222 N Pittsburg Street, across from P R R. Station

With all cash orders for $3 00 or over, we will sell 25 pounds of best granulated sugar for $1.20.

DAVIDSON'S.

S. M. LEVY

Offers all clothing for men, boys and children at one-half price.

S. M LEVY.

138 W Main St.

J. A. RENNER

10c Loaf Bread

8c

On Bargain Days

FLORENCE SMUTZ

will sell a 25c Coffee at 17c.

One hundred men's $15, $18, $20 and $22 50 suits at $10 00

E W HORNER

Title & Trust Building

Hart Schaffner & Marx, Fashion and Hamberger Bros' Suits on bargain days at $9 99

WERTHEIMER BROS,

The Man's Store.

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5 & 10c Wall Paper Co

103 W Apple St.

All 10c paper for 5c on bargain days

Bargain Day Special

at

HOOPER & LONG'S

All Boys' Oxfords in Patent Tan and Plain Leathers will be sold for 75c. Sizes 1 to 5½

L I GINSBURG

109 N Pittsburg St.

All men's and boys' clothing to go at half price.

One lot of mens and ladies' slippers, in all sizes, Bargain Day Price 12c

Levine's Underselling Department Store.

Next Door to 5 and 10 Cent Store.

J. W. McCLAREN

Men's Outfitter

Connellsville, Pa

REDMAN COLLARS—Our Bargain Day Special—3 15c Collars, any style, for 25 Cents

Not over six to a customer.

J W McCLAREN

Exclusive Tailor and Haberdasher

COLLINS DRUG STORE

S Pittsburg St.

Any talcum powder in the house 2 for 25c.

KEAGY'S DRUG STORE.

25c bottle Peroxide for 10 Cents.

The Best Made.

H J. BOSLET

122 S Pittsburg Street, City

Here is Your Chance, Men

Men's Trousers at 25% less regular price. Tailor Made Trousers to your own individual measure at Ready Made prices Watch my show window for display

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Special for Bargain Day

Our entire line of Knives, Forks and Spoons in Sterling Silver and Plate at greatly reduced prices

$1 00 Silver Tea Spoons at 70c each

$1 Plated Tea Spoons at 50c for 6

HYATT, The Jeweler.

THE BAZAAR DEPARTMENT STORE

212-216 N Pittsburg St.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

All 25c and 35c summer dress material including lawns batiste, ratines voiles, Japalon silks, versailles foulard ginghams linens, etc, for Bargain Day special, 16c per yard

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Sedersky & Rapport

242 N. Pittsburg Street.

$5.00 Rockers $2.50

Wright-Metzler Company

Choice of any ladies', misses' or junior suit in the house

$9.75.

Regularly sold at $19 75 to $25 00.

A. B. KURTZ

Jeweler

W. Main Street.

Genuine Curtis $5.00 Bags $3.00.

A. A. CLARKE

Druggist.

Connellsville, Pa.

Castoria 23c

Regular Price 35c.

Two-Passenger Swing, Solid Oak. Complete with chains and hooks, for Bargain Day only

$1.45

Featherman Furniture Company.

N. Pittsburg Street.

E. M. HOFFMAN

Produce, Fish and Oysters

All kinds of fish 10c.

Bargain Day Only.

A 15c package of Climax Washing Powder for 10c.

A. HAGER

317 N. Pittsburg St.

See Large Ad.

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AARON'S

CONNELLSVILLE, PENNSYLVANIA.

125 West Main Street | STORE CLOSES DAILY AT 5. SATURDAY AT 10 P. M. | COANELLSVILLE, PA.

Bargain Days==Wright-Metzler Co.

In Connellsville's only Department Store you will find, under one roof, everything that men, women and children wear; things usable in the home, and foods of the highest quality. Previous Merchants' Bargain Days have found Wright-Metzler's the center of attraction for the variety of their merchandise and the sensationally low prices for that day on goods of vouched for worth. For the Bargain Days this year more merchandise, deeper cut in price, will bring the people flocking here for the quality that has no equal in other Connellsville stores.

This page makes known only a small part of the seasonal things on sale here Tuesday and Wednesday. The merchandise is new, fresh, fashionable and dependable; it is warranted to give full measure of satisfaction. If you would have your money go farthest on guaranteed goods you will come early---both days---to Wright-Metzler's and buy a half year's supply. Extra salespeople, experienced and intelligent, will aid our regular helpers in extending every courtesy to Bargain Day visitors.

$15 Buys Any Man's Suit in the House

—blue, serges, black worsteds and grays, browns, tans and other fashionable tones in stylish summer weaves previously marked $20.00, $22.50, $25.00, $27.50 and $30.00. There isn't another store in the country making such an unrestricted offer. There isn't a store in town showing clothes of equal quality. More than four hundred suits—fresh, fine and fashionable—in sizes for men of regular build, slim, stout or short. Choose anything—no matter what its actual price—you can't pay more than $15.00.

$10.00 TAKES ANY SUIT IN STOCK PRICED TO $18.00. GOOD CLOTHES, LESS EXPENSIVE, BUT FROM THE SAME CAREFUL MAKERS THAT REGULARLY SUPPLY US.

$8.75 FOR YOUR CHOICE OF A GROUP OF MEN'S SUITS THAT WERE PREVIOUSLY $12.50 TO $20.00. GOOD APPAREL FOR KNOCKABOUT WEAR. ABOUT 60 SUITS.

Lot Boys Pants---Half Price. Children's $2.00 Wash Suits $1.00 50c Rompers---Blue Chambray 39c

The Pants are knickerbocker style, dark and light tones (no blue serge) for boys of any size. Up to now they were 50c to $1.50 pair; Bargain Days 25c to 75c pair.

The Wash Suits are in a variety of materials and colors, well-made, washable, in approved styles and in all sizes.

The Rompers are of sturdy chambray, light blue and double sewed.

Men's Clothing Store.

Men's Straw and Panama Hats Come Down to HALF Former Low Prices

On a Table---Clothing Store Fine Felt Hats---Vaules to $3.00--- At $1.00 Each

Highest Class Late Style New Suits for Boys---values $5.00 to $8.00 . . . . $3.85

This season's best style, best quality $5.00, $6.00, $6.50, $7.00, $7.50 and $8.00 suits for boys of 2½ to 18 years. Blue serge is not included, but everything else is—the snappy grays, soft browns and tans and the new-this-season odd shades. Warranted materials and making. Norfolk, Eton, double-breasted, Russian blouse and sailor models, wearable now and late into the winter.

—and one lot Boys' Suits, values to $4.00 at $1.75.

A Fresh Shipment of New Shirts Tumble Into the

SHIRT SALE

$1.50 Values to Sell at 79c

Prettier patterns, if anything, than in the first lot of more than 1,000 garments. Crisp and fresh, and ready to slip on. Look at $1.50 shirts in any store, examine these, and no man can honestly say that the $1.50 ones are superior to these at 79c. Soft and pleated fronts; stripes and figures on white and colors. Sizes 14 to 17.

THREE 50c SILK OR SILK KNIT FOUR-IN-HAND TIES.....$1.00
BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS AND COLORS—ALL NEW AND FRESH AND STYLISH.

of the Higest Quality AT PRICES

That Loom Up Big Merchant's Bargain Days.

Men's, Women's and Children's Oxfords and Pumps—Lowest Rates This Season.

Ask anybody who has worn them and they'll tell you that Wright-Metzler footwear stands highest for durability, comfort, style and shoe-making; and that regularly prices are 50c to $1.00 lower than asked elsewhere for grades not equally vouched for. It's this class of footwear that Bargain Day patrons are going to buy for the littlest money they ever spent for shoe leather.

GROUP A

Men's $4 and $4.50 Oxfords all leathers...**$2.50**

Any $5 Oxford $3.50

GROUP B

Women's Oxfords—mostly small sizes. Regularly $2.50 to $4.00.....**$1.00**

GROUP C

Women's Oxfords—all sizes, regularly $3.00 and to $4.00 .....**$1.95**

GROUP D

Entire stock of women's $4.00 Oxfords—white included **$2.50**

Choose anything in stock.

One lot of Pumps and Oxfords for Misses and Children. Values $2 and $2.50.....95c

The Best Bargain in All Connellsville is for Women!

Any Woman's Wool Suit $9.75 Previously $19.75 to $45 . .

Any woman or girl, if she's prompt, has a chance at the ONE big Bargain Day plum—the Queen Bee of all the good offerings in the city Tuesday and Wednesday. The finest apparel that comes to Connellsville in a season comes to Wright-Metzler's; and the smartest apparel you see in a season comes out of Wright-Metzler's. These suits remain from spring and summer selling. The variety includes all the smart models, rich colors and clever patterns approved this year. Not an undesirable suit among them; not a suit that $9.75 would pay for the material in it! Sizes for women, misses and juniors.

Women's Full-Length Black and Navy Serge Coats, Sizes 16 to 45, and Splendid for Fall wear. $15.00 values **$7.75**

ALL OTHER CLOTH COATS
$8.50 values—Half $4.25
$10.00 values—Half $5.00
$12.50 values—Half $6.25
To $19.75 values at $9.88

Children's $4.00 to $10.00 Coats; Serges, Mixtures and Flannel— at Just Half Original Prices.

One Lot Wool Skirts—Perfectly Tailored Models for Women and Previously Selling at $6.50 to $10.00 .....**$2.95**

Entire Stock New Dresses

—Voile, ratine and lingerie in white and colors for women and girls goes thus:

Regularly	Now
$10.00 and $12.50	$6.25
$15.00 and $18.00	$9.00
$19.75 and $22.50	$11.25
$25.00 and $29.75	$14.50
$35.00 and $37.50	$18.75
$42.50 and $45.00	$22.50

Children's Dresses of gingham, galatea, percale and poplin —5 lots:—

$1.50 values at.....75c
$2.50 values at.....$1.25
To $3.00 values.....$1.75

Fine Bargains These

But Briefly Stated

Tailored Linen Suits—$10.00 to $20.00 values, with few under $12.50. Fashionable, fresh and clean, and of the highest quality **$3.98**

Misses' Dresses—Balkan, Peter Pan and Peter Thompson styles in white and colors, values to $3.00 at **$1.98**

Women's Dresses—$5.00 and $5.75 values in lawn, linene, pique and gingham, 14 to 36 .....**$3.98**

$7.75 Linen Dresses—one lot—in sizes for women and girls.....**$4.95**

$12.50 and $13.50 Linen Dresses for women. White and colors.....**$7.75**

Ratine Dresses at Half Rates—Height of fashion models, regularly $12.50, $18.00, $19.75, $22.50 to $42.50.

$15 to $35 Silk Dresses $5.95

$18.00 to $48.00 Silk Dresses—one lot **$9.98**

$1.00 and $1.25 Women's Lawn and Gingham House Dresses **59c**

50c and 75c Kimonos of lawn and Swiss **19c**

$1.50 to $2.50 long Kimonos in pretty patterns and colors **79c**

Second Floor.

WAISTS, LINEN SKIRTS, UNDERWEAR AND INFANTS' WEAR—BARGAIN DAY PRICES

Seven Groups of Waists are divided as follows.—
A. $1.25 and $1.00 Linene..48c
B. $1.25 and $1.00 white linen and striped mercerized gingham 79c
C. Four lots white linen, lace, voile and lingerie:—
Were, $3.50, $4.00, $5.00, $6.50
Now $1.75, $2.00, $2.50, $3.25
D. $5.00 and $6.00 black and navy silk $1.98
Lot American Lady $1.50 Corsets at 69c: and La Resista $3.00 Corsets—one lot—$1.98.
Petticoats in three lots:—
A. $2.48 Colored Messaline..98c
B. $1.00 Black and White Percale 69c
C. $1.50 to $2.50 Heatherbloom and satine—black—98c.
Muslinwear in two lots:—
A. $1.50 and $1.25 Corset Cover and Drawers; Combinations 98c.
B. 59c and 50c Trimmed Drawers 39c
Infants Long Coats and Capes
Were $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $5.00
Now $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $3.50
Linen Skirts—late styles—
Were $2.50, $3.95, $5.00 to $ 10
Now $1.25, $2.00, $2.50 to $5.00
Long Linen Coats—New models:—
Were $5.00, $7.50, $ 10 to $22.50
Now $3.75, $4.95, $6.75 to $11.25

TWENTY-TWO BARGAIN DAY SPECIALS FROM THE DRY GOODS STORE.

1. $1.00 to $1.50 27-inch flouncing 59c
2. 5-yard bordered dress lengths of voile, crepe, ratine, etc. .....Half
3. $14.00 to $25.00 embroidery flouncings—imported patterns $8.50
4. A $600.00 stock of 25c to 35c ribbons at, a yard.....19c
6. 39c silk plated black hose, second grade, a pair 29c
7. Women's black lisle hose —seconds of 25c grade, a pair 12½c
8. 25c sleeveless lisle vests, "seconds"—15c each, 2 for 25c.
9. $2.00 bleached and hemmed bedspreads (76x97 in.) $1.50.
10. Your choice of calico—best quality—a yard 5c
11. 90c Mohawk, Pequot, Pepperell and Dwight Sheets, 81x90 inches 69c
12. $1.00 to $7.00 Blankets and Comforts, choice at 25% less.
13. Five patterns in $2.00 full bleached Irish double damask $1.39
14. Hill, Hope and Lonsdale bleached muslin, 3 yards...25c
15. 25c Scotch Ginghams 15c
16. Lot Draperies—Half Less
17. Wash fabrics—gingham, voile, lawn, crepe. A yard..10c
18. 12½c Huck and Homespun towels, first quality...10c
19. 40c roller towels....29c
20. 2,000 yards 10c crash, all-linen, unbleached, 17 inches wide 8c
21. Lot summer underwear, 10c.
22. Lot laces and embroideries—a clean-up at Half Price.

Dry Goods Store.

Please Notice

Lack of space forbids more than very brief mention of the abundant offerings in the Millinery Room, Carpet Room, Grocery and Basement Stores.

MILLINERY ROOM.

1. Ten fetchingly trimmed hats previously marked down to $1.50, $2.00 and $2.50, are further lowered to 59c, 79c and $1.48.
2. Ratine Hats — favorite $1.50 shapes for children....48c
$1.50 to $2.50 for women 79c
3. Four groups of women's trimmed hats.—
Were $4.00 to $7.50.....at 98c
Were $6.00 to $9.00....at $2.48
Were $10.00 to $13.00..at $3.98
Were $15.00 to $25.00..at $6.98
4. $10.00 split Milan Sailors $3.98.
$3.50 Burgesser rough straws 98c.
$10 Burgesser Madagascar Sailors $2.98.
$6.00 to $7.50 genuine Panamas $2.98.
$2.00 to $3.50 Java shapes 98c —and many other values.
5. Groups of flowers, ornaments and fancy ostrich at the lowest prices we ever quoted.

CARPET ROOM.

1. Straw Matting—all reduced.
2. $5.00 9x12 Matting Rugs $3.65.
3. Ingrain Carpet—
The 35c grade at.....24c
40c Union at 29c
60c Part Wool 45c
75c All Wool 59c
4. 9x12 Rugs—lowest rates—
$27.50 Body Brussels (2) $18.00
$40.00 Wilton Rugs (3)..$23.75
$50 Artloom Wilton (2) $29.75
5. Small Axminster Rugs $1.39.
Portieres and Couch Covers.
6. Lace Curtains — Lowest Yet.

GROCERY STORE.

25 lbs Granulated Sugar..$1.25
Note:—Only 2,500 pounds, and only one bag to a patron.
8 cans 5c Sardines.....25c
1 lb. Arbuckles Coffee.....23c
8 bars Lenox Soap 25c
—and other values.

WRIGHT-METZLER CO., Connellsville

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BOY IMPRISONED FOR LIFE AT THE AGE OF FOURTEEN

Must Spend Remaining Days of Existence Behind Prison Walls.

KILLED WIFE OF BENEFACTOR

Herman Coppes of Joliet, Ill., Looks Forward to Fifty Years He Must Serve Behind Prison Bars Before Death Liberates Him; Killed Three.

United Press Telegram.

JOLIET, Ill., Aug. 2.—Fourteen years of age, and sentenced for life! Granting that Herman Coppes, a mere baby, lives to the average age of prisoners, this youth who calmly shot to death, for no apparent reason, the wife of his benefactor and crushed the heads of two babies with an axe, today is looking forward to the fifty years he must still serve behind prison bars before death liberates him.

Herman Coppes is a tousle-haired, undersized boy, just like hundreds to be found on corner lots playing baseball or at the "swimmin' hole" taking a stolen plunge. There will be no baseball or swimming, however, for little Herman Coppes.

"The most baffling study in juvenile criminology that has ever come to my notice," was the characterization of the Coppes boy expressed today by Warden Edmund H. Allen, of the Illinois state prison, at Joliet. And alienists, crimonologists and penitentiary officials who have examined the strange little fellow, echo the warden's statements. All are agreed that it would be a menace to any community for the boy to be free in it. All are agreed that the boy suffers from homocidal mania of the worst type. The alienists—at least some of them—say the boy should be sent to an institution for the insane for treatment, but they admit that his condition is such that to be treated at such an institution some freedom would have to be given him. At any time, they say, during one of the periods of apparent sanity, he might cunningly plan and succeed in satisfying what they call his lust to kill. Penitentiary officials admit frankly they haven't the slightest idea what to do with the boy. Never before, they say, have they been forced to "turn a cell into a nursery."

"He is a second Dr. Jekyl and Mr. Hyde," said one of the guards, in whose cell block he sleeps. "He's the queerest little fellow I ever did see, and I have some youngsters of my own, about his age, who are not white angels. One day he'll be as happy as a kid with a baseball bat. The next day he hangs his head, mopes in his cell, marches into the diningroom with his eyes half shut, and eats barely enough to satisfy the hunger of a kid one-fifth his age. He will refuse to talk even when we talk to him of the things he likes. Then, the next day, he's happy and smiling and cheerful again."

When he was barely thirteen years old, the Coppes boy was sent to the St. Charles state reformatory because his father declared him to be incorrigible. Ten months ago, he was paroled and given into the custody of Manny Sleep, a farmer living near Elgin.

One evening when Sleep was away from home, the boy shot the farmer's young wife. With an axe he dashed out the brains of her two babies, Sarah, aged four, and Bettie, aged two. Removing the cover from an abandoned cistern under the kitchen he pushed the dead mother and her babies into the well. Then he carefully and so cunningly erased all signs of the triple murder that no trace of the killing showed when Manny Sleep returned to his home.

During the five days that Sleep and his neighbors engaged in frantic search for some sign of the woman and her babies, Herman Coppes went about his minor tasks. He calmly ate his meals on a table which sat on the disused cistern top. On the sixth day Sleep, distracted, begged the boy to tell what he kakew of his missing wife and children.

"I killed them. They are down," he answered calmly, pointing to the old well. Then, under severe sweating, the boy confessed everything—except why he did it.

"Why did I do it? Oh, I dunno," he would invariably and indifferently reply.

The boy was rushed to trial, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to a life eterm. He showed absolutely no remorse and exhibited very little interest in the proceedings. He arrived at the penitentiary wearing short trousers, the youngest prisoner ever admitted to Joliet and excepting Jesse Pomeroy, sentenced to life at Charlestown, Mass., nearly forty years were ago, one of the youngest ever given that penalty in the United States. After he had been photographed and his measurements taken in the Bertillion department, a deputy warden barbered a suit of prison gray.

"Say, this ain't so bad, is it? said the boy. "I've wanted to wear long trousers and they never would let me. How much did this suit cost?"

Warden Allen has made a messenger of the boy on various occasions, and in some sense he is treated as a trusty but he has to be watched constantly, especially when he wakens in the morning with that sullen, gloomy look on his face.

Hunting Bargains?
If so, read our advertising columns and you will find them.

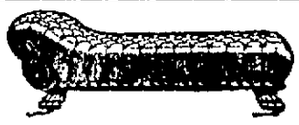
AARON'S

Bargain Day Offerings

Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 5 and 6.

One of the Greatest Money-Saving Events of the Year.

We have repriced every article in the store for these two days, and to add further interest to the sale we bought, at a great sacrifice, car loads of high grade Furniture, Carpets, Rugs and House Furnishings, which we are able to offer our patrons and friends at unmatchable, immense and remarkable values. The immense assortment, sale price and the high quality of our goods make it possible for us to offer genuine bargains that can not be duplicated at our prices. It is positively to your advantage to investigate.



This $25.00 Genuine Fabrikoid Leather Couch, Now $13.75.

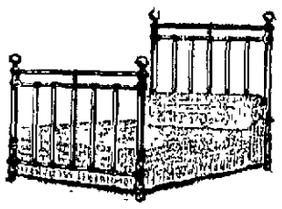
$18.00 Couches, Special $11.00
$30.00 Couches, Special $20.00
$45.00 Leather Couch, Special $28.75
$60.00 Leather Couch, Special $38.00

This $40.00 Genuine Fabrikoid Leather Sofa Bed Davenport, Now $24.75.

$45.00 Sofa Bed, Special $29.75
$55.00 Sofa Bed, Special $38.75
$60.00 Sofa Bed, Special $42.00

This $18.00 Solid Oak Extension Table, Special $9.75.

$15.00 Solid Oak Extension Table ... $ 9.00
$ 9.00 Solid Oak Extension Table .... $ 6.00
$25.00 Solid Oak Extension Table $17.00
$40.00 Solid Oak Extension Table $27.00



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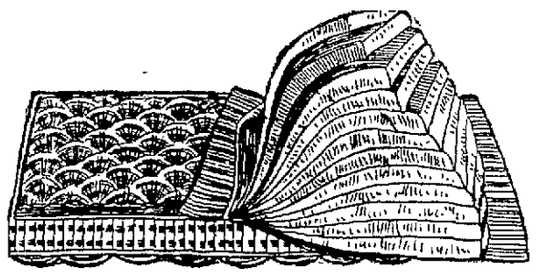

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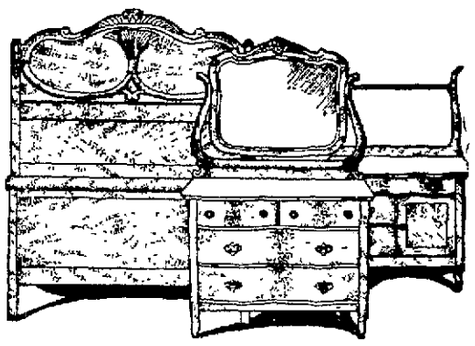

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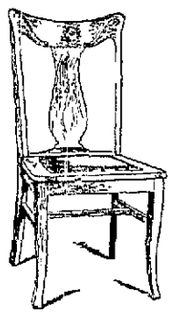

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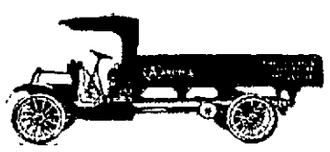

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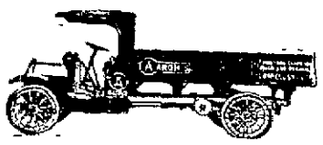

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Along the Great White Way.

Sidelights on Players, Old and Young, and What is Doing on the Stage.

BY BEAU RIALTO
Written for the United Press

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NEW YORK, Aug 2.—That fur will surely fly a-plenty in the coming New York opera season is made apparent by the latest announcement of Impresario Oscar Hammerstein who heaved another harpoon into the quivering blubber of the Metropolitan Opera House whale by declaring he would charge $5 for his orchestra seats. When Hammerstein returned from Europe last spring and announced that he would again put on opera in New York, the Metropolitan directors threw a fit. They declared that Hammerstein by producing opera at all would violate every article of his contract made when he closed his Manhattan Opera House several years ago. They prepared to enjoin Hammerstein. He told them, none too politely, to go as far as they liked.

The dauntless Oscar soon came out with the announcement that his best seats would cost only $3 and the Metropolitan took solace from this, believing that opera at half the price of their productions would not seriously cut into their patronage. However, rival opera at $5 a head is something else again, and the Metropolitan heads are having fresh spasms. Their anxiety is not allayed to any considerable extent by the following clause in the prospectus that Hammerstein has just issued:

"Any interference or attempted interruption on the part of the Metropolitan Opera Company, I have guarded against."

Hammerstein calls his company the American National Opera Company, and will produce his opera in the American National Opera House now building at Lexington avenue and Fifty-first street. His season will begin November 10 and will last twenty-three weeks, just three weeks less than the season scheduled by the Metropolitan.

Among his performers Hammerstein announced Mme Blanca Larrientos, Mme Chenal, Mme Victoria Fer, Gemma Bellincioni and Bianca Bellincioni, Mme Doris, Henry Weldon, M. Marvini, M. Lemand, Senor Verani, Orville Herrold and several others. The impresario says they are only the "nucleus" of his company.

Hammerstein is not the least bit backward about boosting his songbirds. In his prospectus he says they are all better than the best of the singers heretofore known in America. Tetrazzini and Mary Garden must take back seats. Of Mme Laura Barrientos he says:

"I presented the comparatively unknown Tetrazzini to the American public. Larrientos surpasses [illegible]. Of Mme Chenal he says:

"She is [illegible] the first position [illegible] in France [illegible] in the National [illegible] the Opera Comique [illegible] detracting from [illegible] merits of [illegible] Garden, who is [illegible]

[illegible] is all the [illegible] down the line [illegible] opera [illegible] where and he has thrown [illegible] the gage of battle to the Metropolitan.

If plans do not miscarry America this winter will be the scene of the swan song of two notable stage people, Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson, the English actor who with his wife Gertrude Elliott will come to America in October for a season says it will be his last stage work, and Gemma Bellincioni the Italian prima donna will close her operatic career this winter with the Hammerstein company. Bellincioni is no longer young. For many years she has been the idol of Italian opera devotees but she never has ventured to America and rarely has she sung in Europe outside of her own country. Her reputation is well established at home but as a fitting triumph with which to end her own career, to go out in a blaze of glory as it were, she decided to come to America for a season and will try to win the plaudits of New York before retiring for all time. She says that this winter's work will be her last professional appearance.

The Stratford-upon-Avon players, England's unique band of actors devoted to the presentation of the unedited Shakespeare drama, will be seen in America for the first time this season. They will open their engagement in Montreal in October and will then come to New York closing their tour of the United States in April, 1914. The Memorial Theatre at Stratford-upon-Avon, birthplace of William Shakespeare, is the home of these players and is the only endowed theatre in England. The theatre as well as the hall and library which adjoin it was built largely through the munificence of the late Charles Edward Flower and a few of his associates and was opened in 1877. Since that time there has been a season of plays in it every year beginning on April 23 the birthday of Shakespeare. That date is also the best authenticated anniversary of his death. All the plays of the great dramatist except "All's Well that Ends Well" and "Titus Andronicus" which could not be very well given without some changes have been presented as they were originally written, with not a line changed. Elaborate modern scenery is used. All of the sets for the American tour have been built in England.

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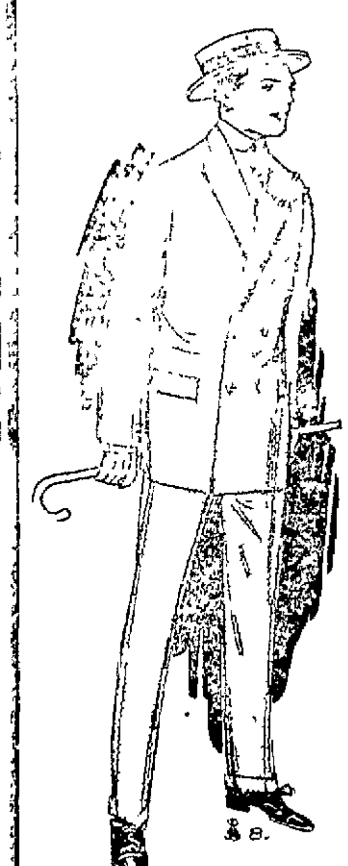

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PROLOGUE

This humorous tale, written in McCutcheon's best vein, is faultless in its morals, despite its title, and cumulative in its interest. It may be stated in strict confidence that Edith did not actually have more than one husband; consequently the gentle reader need harbor no apprehension on this score. Like all other estimable married women, Edith had only one husband, but circumstances arose through which it seemed necessary for her husband to be in two places at the same time, and how this was accomplished and what the outcome was— But wait a bit; let George Barr McCutcheon, the prince of story tellers, unfold the romance.

CHAPTER I.

Husbands and Wife.

BROCK was breakfasting out of doors in the cheerful little garden of the Hotel Chatham. The sun streamed warmly upon the concrete floor of the court just beyond the row of palms and oleanders that fringed the rail against which his Herald rested, that he might read as he ran, so to speak. He was the only person having dejeuner on the "terrace," as he named it to the obsequious waiter who always attended him. Charles was the magnet that drew Brock to the Chatham, that excellent French hotel with the excellent English name.

Charles was standing, alert but pensive, quite near at hand, ready to replenish the bowl with honey. Brock was especially fond of it. Brock had gone to the Chatham for years just because Charles was a fixture there. Charles spoke the most execrably picturesque English, served with a punctiliousness that savored almost of the overbearing, and boasted that he had acquired the art of making American cocktails during a five weeks' residence in the United States.

It was a lazy morning. Brock was happy. He was even interested when a porter came forth and unraveled a long roll of garden hose, with which he abruptly began to splash water upon the concrete surface of the court without regard for distance or direction. Moreover, he proceeded to water the palms, operating from a spot no less than twenty feet away, until the faithful Charles restored him to earth by means of certain subdued injunctions and less moderate gesticulations, from which it could be readily gathered that "m'sieur was eating, not bathing." Whereupon the utterly uncrushed porter splashed water at right angles, to Brock's relief. "M'sieur will pardon the boy," apologized Charles in deepest humility, taking much for granted. "It will be very warm today. Your serviette, m'sieur—it is damp. Pardon!" He flew away and back with another napkin. "Of course, m'sieur, the Chatham is not the Waldorf," he announced depreciatingly. "Parbleu," beating himself on the forehead, "I forgot! M'sieur does not like the Waldorf. Eh, bien. Paris is not New York, no." Having sufficiently humbled Paris he withdrew into the background, rubbing his hands as if he were cleansing them of something unsightly. Brock spread one of the buttered biscuits with honey and inwardly admitted that Paris was not New York.

He was a good looking chap of thirty or thereabouts, an American to the core, bright eyed, keen witted, smooth faced, virile. From boyhood's earliest days he had spent a portion of his summers in Europe. Two or three years of his life had been employed in the beaux arts, fruitful years, for Brock had not wasted his opportunities. He had gone in for architecture and building. Today he stood high among the younger men in New York, prosperous, successful and a menace to the old cry that a son of the rich cannot thrive in his father's domain. Nowadays he came to the old world for his breathing spells. He was able to combine dawdling and development without sacrificing one for the other, wherein lies the proof that his vacations were not akin to those taken by most of us.

The fortnight in Paris was to be followed by a week in St. Petersburg and a brief tour of Sweden and Norway. His stay in the gay city was drawing to a close. That very morning he expected to book for St. Petersburg, leaving in three days.

Suddenly his glance fell upon a name in the society column before him, "Roxbury Mederoft." His face lighted up with genuine pleasure. An old friend, a boon companion in bygone days was this same Mederoft, a broad minded, broad gauged young Englishman who had profited by a stay of some years in the States. They had studied together in Paris and they had toiled together in New York. This is what he read:

Mr. and Mrs. Roxbury Mederoft of London are stopping at the Ritz, en route to Vienna. Mr. Mederoft will attend the meeting of Austrian architects, to be held there next week, and, with his wife, will afterward spend a fortnight in the German Alps, the guests of the Alfred Rodneys of Seattle.

"Dear old Rox, I must look him up at once," mused Brock. "The Rodneys of Seattle? Never heard of 'em." He looked at his watch, signed his check, deposited the usual franc, acknowledged Charles' well practised smile of thanks, and pushed back his chair, his gaze traveling involuntarily toward the portals of the American bar across the court, just beyond the concierge's quarters. Simultaneously a tall figure emerged from the bar, casting eager glances in all directions—a tall figure in a checked suit, a gray cap, white reindeer gloves, high collar, and gray spats. Brock came to his feet quickly. The monocle dropped from the other's eye, and his long legs carried him eagerly toward the American.

"Mederoft—bless your heart—I was just on the point of looking you up at the Ritz. It's good to see you," Brock cried as they clasped hands.

"Of all the men and of all the times Brock, you are the most opportune,"

"I'm in a deuce of a dilemma."

exclaimed the other. "I saw that you were here and bolted my breakfast to catch you. These beastly telephones never work. Oh, I say, old man, have you finished yours?"

"Quite—but luckily I didn't have to bolt it. You're off for Vienna, I see. Sit down, Rox. Won't you have another egg and a cup of coffee? Do!"

"Thanks and no to everything you suggest. What you doing for the next half hour or so? I'm in a deuce of a dilemma and you've got to help me out of it." The Englishman looked at his watch and fumbled it nervously as he replaced it in his upper coat pocket. "That's a good fellow, Brock. You will be the ever present help in time of trouble, won't you?"

"My letter of credit is at your disposal, old man," said Brock promptly. He meant it. It readily may be seen from this that their friendship is no small item to be considered in the development of this tale.

"My dear fellow, that's the very thing I'm eager to thrust upon you—my letter of credit," exclaimed the other.

"What's that?" demanded Brock.

"I say, Brock, can't we go up to your rooms? Dead secret, you know. Really, old chap, I mean it. No one must get a breath of it. That's why I'm whispering. I'm not a lunatic, so don't stare like that. I'd do as much for you if the conditions were reversed."

"I dare say you would, Rox. But what the devil is it you want me to do?"

"Do I appear to be agitated?"

"Well, I should say so."

"Well, I am. You know how I loath asking a favor of any one. Besides, it's rather an extraordinary one I'm going to ask of you. Came to me in a flash this morning when I saw your name in the paper. Sort of inspiration, 'pon my word. I think Edith sees it the same as I, although I haven't had time to go into it thoroughly with her. She's ripping, you know—pluck to the very core."

Brock's face expressed bewilderment and perplexity.

"Won't you have another drink, old man?" he asked gently.

"Another? Bang it all, I haven't had one in a week! Come along. I must talk it all over with you before I introduce you to her. You must be prepared."

"Introduce me to whom?" demanded Brock, pricking up his ears. He was following Mederoft to the elevator.

"To my wife—Edith," said Mederoft, annoyed by the other's obtuseness.

"Does it require preparation for an ordeal so charming?" laughed Brock. He was recalling the fact that Mederoft had married a beautiful Philadelphia girl some years ago in London, a young lady whom he had never seen, so thoroughly expatriated had she become in consequence of almost a lifetime residence in England. He remembered now that she was rich and that he had sent her a ridiculously expensive present and a congratulatory cablegram at the time of the wedding.

The Londoner did not respond to the innocuous query. He merely stared in a preoccupied, determined manner at the succeeding stages as they slipped downward. At the fourth floor they disembarked, and Brock led the way to his rooms, overlooking the inner court. Once inside with the door closed he turned upon the Englishman.

"Now, what's up, Rox? Are you in trouble?" he demanded.

"Are we quite alone?" Mederoft glanced significantly at the transom and the half closed bathroom door. With a laugh Brock led him into the bathroom and out and then closed the transom.

"You're darned mysterious," he said, pointing to a chair near the window. Mederoft drew another close up and seated himself.

"Brock," he said, lowering his voice and leaning forward impressively, "I want you to go to Vienna in my place." Brock stared hard. "You are a godsend, old man. You're just in time to do me the greatest of favors. It's utterly impossible for me to go to Vienna as I had planned, and yet it is equally unwise for me to give up the project. You see, I've just got to be in London and Vienna at the same time."

"It will require something more than a stretch of the imagination to do that, old man. But I'm game, and my plans are such that they can be changed readily to oblige a friend. I shan't mind the trip in the least, and I'll be only too happy to help you out. Gad! I thought by your manner that you were in some frightful difficulty."

"By Jove, Brock, you're a brick!" cried Mederoft, shaking the other's hand vigorously. At the same time his face expressed considerable uncertainty and no little doubt as to the future welfare of his as yet partially divulged proposition.

"It's easy to be a brick, my boy, if it involves no more than the changing of a single letter in one's name. I'd like to attend the convention anyway," said Brock amiably.

"Well, you see, Brock," said Mederoft lamely, "I fear you don't quite appreciate the situation. I want you to pose as Roxbury Mederoft."

"You— What do you mean?"

"I thought you'd find that a facer. That's just it. You are to go to Vienna as Roxbury Mederoft, not as yourself. Ha, ha! Ripping, eh?"

"'Pon my soul, Rox, you are not in earnest?"

"Never more so."

"But, my dear fellow"—

"You won't do it? That's what your tone means," in despair.

"It isn't that, and you know it. I've got nothing to lose. It's you that will have to suffer. You're known all over Europe. What will be said when the trick is discovered? Gad, man!"

"Then you will go?" with beaming eyes. "I knew it would appeal to you as an American."

"What does it all mean?"

"It's all very simple, if one looks at it from the right angle, Brock. Up to last night I was blissfully committed to the most delightful of outings, so to speak. At 10 o'clock everything was changed. Mrs. Mederoft and I sat up all night discussing the situation with the messenger—my solicitor, by the way. The Vienna trip is out of the question, so far as I am concerned. It is of vital importance that I should return to London tonight, but it is even more vitally important that the world should say that I am in Vienna. See what I mean?"

"No, I'm hanged if I do."

"What I have just heard from London makes me shudder to think of the consequences if I go on east tonight. I may as well tell you that there is a plot on foot to perpetrate a gigantic fraud against the people. The county council is to be hoodwinked out and out into moving forward certain building projects, involving millions of the people's money. Our firm has opposed a certain band of grafters, and when I left England it was pretty well settled that we had blocked their game. They have learned of my proposed absence and intend to steal a march on us while I am away. Without assuming too much credit to myself, I may say that I, your old friend, Roxbury, I am the one man who has proved the real thorn in the sides of these scoundrels. With me out of the way they feel that they can secure the adoption of all these infamous measures. My partners and the leaders on our side have sent for me to return secretly. They won't bring the matter to issue if they find that I've returned. It would be suicidal. Therefore it is necessary that we steal a march on 'em. I know the inside workings of the scheme. If I can steal back and keep under cover as an advisory chief, so to speak, we can well afford to let 'em rush the matter through, for then we can spring the coup and defeat them for good and all. But, don't you see, old man, unless they know that I've gone to Vienna they won't undertake the thing. That's why I'm asking you to go on to Vienna and pose as Roxbury Mederoft while I steal back to London and set the charge under these demmed bloodsuckers. Really, you know, it's a terribly serious matter, Brock. It means fortune and honor to me, as well as millions to the rate payers of Greater London. All you've got to do is to register at the Bristol, get interviewed by the papers, attend one or two sessions of the convention, which lasts three days, and then go off into the mountains with the Rodneys. The society reporters will do the rest."

"With the Rodneys? My dear fellow, suppose that they object to the substitution? Really, you know, it's not to be thought of."

"Deuce take it, man, the Rodneys are not to know that there has been a substitution. Perfectly simple, can't you see?"

"I'm d—d if I do!"

"What a stupid ass you are, Brock! The Rodneys have never laid eyes on me. They know of me as Edith's husband, that's all. They are to take you in as Mederoft, of course."

At this point Brock set up an emphatic remonstrance. He began by laughing his friend to scorn; then, as Mederoft persisted, went so far as to take him severely to task for the proposed imposition on the unsuspecting Rodneys, to say nothing of the trick he would play upon the convention of architects.

"I'd be recognized as an impostor," he said warmly, "and booted out of the convention. I shudder to think of what Mr. Rodney will do to me when he learns the truth. Why, Mederoft, you must be crazy. There will be dozens of architects there who know you personally or by sight. You"—

"My dear boy, if they don't see me there they can't very well recognize me, can they? If necessary you can affect an illness and stay away from the sessions altogether. Give a statement to the press from the privacy of the sickroom—regret your inability to take part in the discussions and all that, you know. Hire a nurse if necessary. You might venture to express an opinion or two on vital topics in my name. I don't care a hang what you say. I only want 'em to think I'm there. No doubt our enemies will have a spy or two hanging about to see that I am actually off for a jaunt with the Rodneys, but they will be Viennese, and they won't know me from Adam. What's the odds, so long as Edith is there to stand by you? If she's willing to assume that you are her husband"—

"Good Lord!" half shouted Brock, leaping to his feet, wide eyed. "You don't mean to say that she is—is—is to go to Vienna with me?"

"Emphatically yes. She's also invited. Of course she's going."

"You mean that she's going just as you are going—by proxy?" murmured Brock helplessly.

"Proxy, the devil! 'Pon my soul, Brock, you're downright stupid. She can't have a proxy. They know her. The Rodneys are in some way connections of hers, and all that—third cousins. If she isn't there to vouch for you, how the deuce can you expect to"—

"Mederoft, you are crazy! No one but an insane man would submit his wife to— Why, good Lord, man, think of the scandal! She won't have a shred left"—

"At the proper time the matter will be explained to the Rodneys—not at first, you know—and I'll be in a position to step into your shoes before the party returns to Paris. Afterward the whole trick will be exposed to the world, and she'll be a heroine."

"I'm absolutely paralyzed!" mumbled Brock.

"Brace up, old chap. I'm going to take you around to the Ritz at once to introduce you to my wife—to your wife. I might say. She'll be waiting for us, and, take my word for it, she's in for the game. She appreciates its importance. Come now, Brock, it means so little to you, and it means everything to me. You will do this for me—for us?"

CHAPTER II.

Mrs. Mederoft.

FOR ten minutes Brock protested, his argument growing weaker and weaker as the true humor of the project developed in his mind. He came at last to realize that Mederoft was in earnest and that the situation was as serious as he pictured it. The Englishman's plan was unusual, but it was not as rattle brained as it had seemed at the outset. Brock was beginning to see the possibilities that the ruse contained. To say the least, he would be running little or no risk in the event of its miscarriage. In spite of possible unpleasant consequences, there were the elements of a rare lark in the enterprise. He felt himself being skillfully guided past the pitfalls and dangers.

"I shall insist on talking it over thoroughly with Mrs. Mederoft before consenting," he said in the end. "If she's being bluffed into the game I'll revoke like a flash. If she's keen for the adventure I'll go, Rox. But I've got to see her first and talk it all over"—

"'Pon my word, old chap, she's ripping, awfully good sort, even though I say it myself. She's true blue, and she'll do anything for me. You see, Brock," and his voice grew very tender, "she loves me. I'm sure of her. There isn't a nobler wife in the world than mine. Nor a prettier one either," he concluded, with pride in his eyes. "You won't be ashamed of her. You will be proud of the chance to point her out as your wife, take my word for it." Then they set out for the Ritz.

"Roxbury," said Brock soberly when they were in the Rue de la Paix after walking two blocks in contemplative silence, "my peace of mind is poised at the brink of an abyss. I have a feeling that I am about to chuck it over."

"Nonsense! You'll buck up when Edith has had a fling at you."

"I suppose I'm to call her Edith?"

"Certainly, and I won't mind a 'dear' or two when it seems propitious. It's rather customary, you know, even among the unhappily married. Of course I've always been opposed to kissing or caressing in public. It's so middle class."

"And I daresay Mrs. Mederoft will object to it in private," lamented Brock good naturedly.

"I daresay," said her husband cheerfully. "She's your wife in public only. By the way, you'll have to get used to the name of Roxbury. Don't look around as if you expected to find me standing behind your back when she says 'Roxbury, dear!' I shan't be there, you know. She'll mean you. Don't forget that."

"Oh, I say," exclaimed Brock, halting abruptly and staring in dismay at the confident conspirator, "will I have to wear a suit of clothes like that and an eyeglass and—and—good Lord! spats?"

"By Joye, you shall wear this very suit!" cried Mederoft, inspired. "We're of a size, and it won't fit you any better than it does me. Our clothes never fit us in London. Clever idea of yours, Brock, to think of it. And, here! We'll stop at this shop and pick up a glass. You can have all day for practice with it. And, I say, Brock, don't you think you can cultivate a—er—little more of an English style of speech? That twang of yours won't"—

"Heavens, man, I'm to be a low comedian too!" gasped Brock as he was fairly pushed on to the shop. Three minutes later they were on the sidewalk, and Brock was in possession of an object he had scorned most of all things in the world—a monocle.

Arm in arm they sauntered into the

"Don't shake hands," she warned.

Ritz. Mederoft retained his clasp on his friend's elbow as they went up in the lift, after the fashion of one who fears that his victim is contemplating flight. As they entered the comfortable little sitting room of the suit a young woman rose gracefully from the desk at which she had been writing. With perfect composure she smiled and extended her slim hand to the American as he crossed the room with Mederoft's jerky introduction dinging in his ears.

"My old friend, Brock, dear. He has consented to be your husband. You've never met your wife, have you, old man?" A blush spread over her exquisite face.

"Oh, Roxbury, how embarrassing! He hasn't even proposed to me. So glad to meet you, Mr. Brock. I've been trying to picture what you would look like ever since Roxbury went out to find you. Sit here, please, near me. Roxbury, has Mr. Brock really fallen into your terrible trap? Isn't it the most ridiculous proceeding, Mr. Brock"—

"Call him, Roxbury, my dear. He's fully prepared for it. And now let's get down to business. He insists upon talking it over with you. You don't mind me being present, do you, Brock? I dare say I can help you out a bit. I've been married four years."

For an hour the trio discussed the situation from all sides and in all its phases. When Brock arose to take his departure, he was irrevocably committed to the enterprise. He was, moreover, completely enchanted by the vista of harmless fun and sweet adventure that stretched before him. He went away with his head full of the brilliant, quick witted, loyal young American who was entering so heartily into the plot to deceive her own friends for the time being in order that her husband might profit in high places.

"She is ripping," he said to Mederoft in the hallway. All of the plans had been made and all of them had been approved by the young wife. She had shown wonderful perspicacity and foresight in the matter of details. Her capacity for selection and disposal was even more comprehensive than that of the two men, both of whom were somewhat staggered by the boldness of more than one suggestion which came from her fruitful storehouse of romantic ideas. She had grasped the full humor of the situation, from inception to denouement, and to all appearance was heart and soul deep in the venture, despising the risks because she knew that succor was always at her elbow in the shape of her husband's loyal support. There was no condition involved which could not be explained to her credit; adequate compensation for the merry sacrifice was to be had in the brief detachment from rigid English conventionality, in the hazardous injection of quixotism into an otherwise overly healthful life of platitudes. Society had become the sepulcher of youthful inspirations. She welcomed the resurrection. The exquisite delicacy with which she analyzed the cost and computed the interest won for her the warmest regard of her husband's friend, fellow conspirator in a plot which involved the subtlest test of loyalty and honor.

"Yes," said Mederoft simply. "You won't have reason to change your opinion, Brock." He hesitated for a moment and then burst out, rather plaintively: "She's an awfully good sort, demme, she is. And so are you, Brock. It's mighty decent of you. You're the only man in all the world that I could or would have asked to do this for me. You are my best friend, Brock—you always have been." He seized the American's hand and wrung it fervently. Their eyes met in a long look of understanding and confidence.

"I'll take good care of her," said Brock quietly.

"I know you will. Goodby, then. I'll see you late this afternoon. You leave this evening at 7:20 by the orient express. I've had the reservations booked, and—and"— He hesitated, a wry smile on his lips. "I daresay you won't mind making a pretense of looking after the luggage a bit, will you?"

"I shall take this opportunity to put myself in training against the day when I may be traveling away with a happy bride of my own. By the way, how long am I expected to remain in this state of matrimonial bliss? That's no small detail, you know, even though it escaped for the moment."

"Three weeks."

"Three weeks!" He almost reeled.

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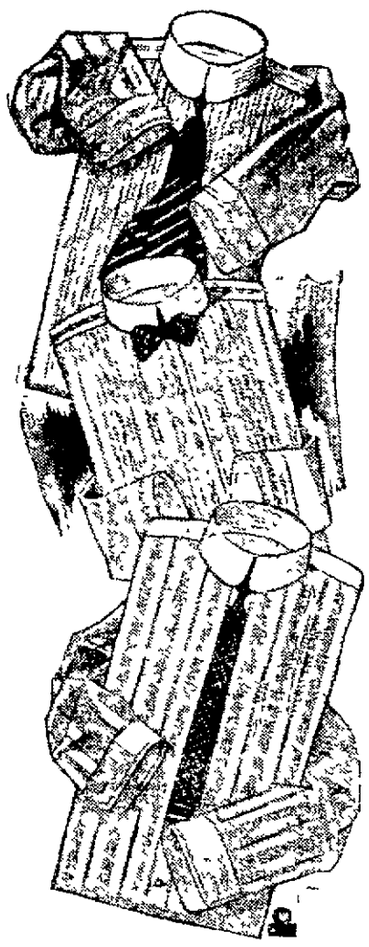

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